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In reviewing the most recent Overview, we found several errors we would like to bring to your attention. We regret any inconvenience or misunderstanding these errors may have caused. You may wish to write in the corrections. They are as follows:

Page 10, 8th bullet and page 38, paragraph 1, under Sex Composition should read:

> **In 1989, 48.2% of Alaska's population, or 257,504 persons were female compared to 51.2% female for the U.S. as a whole.**

Page 10, 10th bullet should read:

> **In 1988, Alaska had 0.9 persons per square mile.**

Page 10, 11th bullet and paragraph 2, line 1 on page 42 should read:

> **In 1988, 222,950 or 41.7% of Alaska's population lived in the Municipality of Anchorage.**

Page 22, Table 2.5 the 1939 Native Population should read: **32,458**.

Page 23, Table 2.6 the line for Native Americans should total: **64,103**.

Page 24, paragraph 4, line 10 should read:

> **The net loss due to migration was about 3%.**

Page 37, paragraph 4, line 5 should read:

> **For instance, as shown in Table 2.10**

Page 38, footnote 1 should read:

> **An average annual rate of change is a standardized statistical measure of the rate of change which can be compared for any number of years because it converts the change for any period to a yearly measure.**

Page 42, paragraph 2, line 6 should read:

> **These contained 74.1% of Alaska's population in 1988.**

Page 68, paragraph 1, line 2 should read:

> **These estimates are shown in Table 4.2 and Table 4.3.**

Page 68, paragraph 2, line 4 should read:

> **are shown in Table 4.4. The boundaries ....**

Table 4.5 is not referenced in the text.

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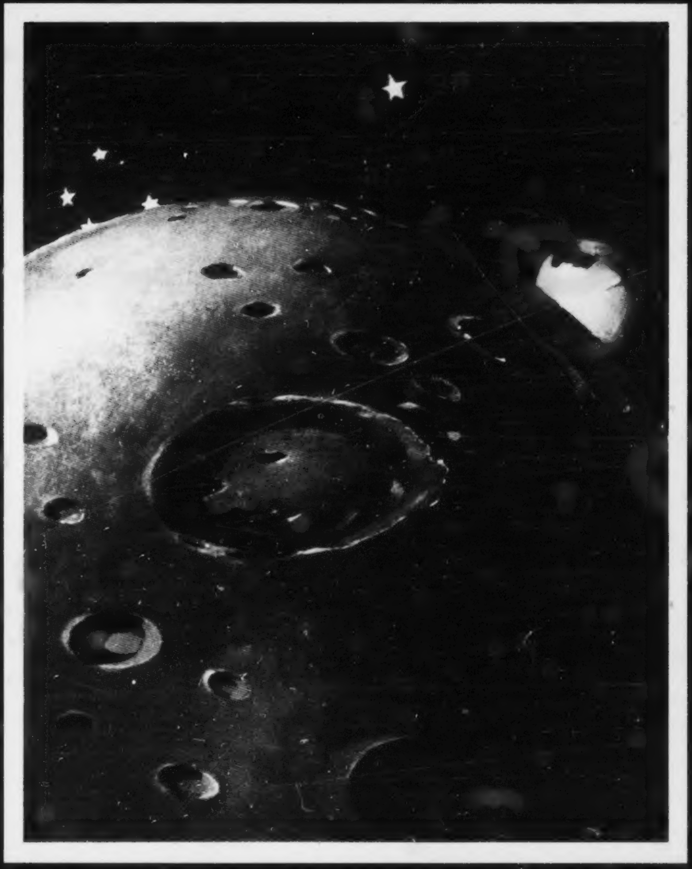

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POPULATION OVERVIEW
PREFACE

Alaska Population Overview provides frequently requested population information in one publication. This publication presents the resident population of Alaska under the same concepts and definitions used by the U.S. Bureau of the Census for the 1990 decennial census of Alaska. Population fluctuates throughout the year. Because of this fluctuation, the July 1 population presented here represents an average population for the year rather than the population on July first.

All 1990 census population counts presented in this publication are subject to possible correction for undercount or overcount. The U.S. Department of Commerce is considering whether to correct these counts and will publish corrected counts, if any, not later than July 15, 1991.

This edition of *Alaska Population Overview* includes four chapters which cover current and historical population estimates for the state, boroughs and census areas, special areas, and places. A description of specialized terms is in the glossary at the end of this publication. Population projections for the state appear in *Alaska Population Projections*. First published in 1986, the second edition is scheduled for July 1991.

In addition, specific information on life expectancy by age, race and sex for Alaska can be found in *Alaska Life Tables for 1977-83*, Demographic Report No. 1, Alaska Department of Labor, Research and Analysis, 1986.

The statistics which appear in this issue of *Alaska Population Overview* supersede figures which appeared in earlier issues, due to changes in methodology and the updating of estimates. Because of these revisions, it is recommended that any trend data be computed from this edition of *Alaska Population Overview* rather than a combination of past editions.

Where estimates occur in this publication they are published in unrounded form for ease of use in other computations, the reader should not assume that any estimates are accurate to the last place. In general, the State estimate is assumed to be accurate to the nearest thousand and borough and census area estimates to the nearest hundred.

Special acknowledgment is given to the Vital Statistics and Nursing sections of the Alaska Department of Health and Social Services, Public Health Division; the Alaska Department of Education and the Alaska Departments of Revenue and Community and Regional Affairs for their aid in regularly providing information used in the estimates program.

In addition, the Department of Labor wishes to thank the numerous individuals in city and borough governments and small communities who regularly provide information relative to the estimates program. The Department of Labor thanks personnel departments of the Army, Air Force, Navy, and Coast Guard in Alaska for the statistics they provide each year to the Department of Labor.

Comments or suggestions regarding the content or format of this publication are welcome. General requests for demographic information should be addressed to Greg Williams. The telephone number for the Demographics Unit is (907) 465-4500. Address questions regarding the 1990 census to the State Data Center at the same number.

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POPULATION OVERVIEW

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The 1990 census count for Alaska's resident population was 550,043 or 0.22% of the population of the U.S. (248,709,873). Only Wyoming, with a population of 453,588, was smaller. The next largest state, Vermont, had a 1990 population of 562,758.

Land area in Alaska covered 570,374 square miles, and water area covered 86,051 square miles. Alaska had almost one-sixth of the land area of the U.S. and slightly over one-third of the water area. Alaska averaged 0.96 persons per square mile in 1990, whereas the U.S. averaged 70.33 persons.

A significant portion of Alaska's 1990 population (almost seven out of ten people) lived in urban areas, places of 2,500 persons or more. In 1990, 226,338 persons, or 41.1% of Alaska's population lived in the Municipality of Anchorage. Anchorage was the 69th largest city in America in 1990 compared to 78th in 1980. Almost three-quarters of Alaska's population was concentrated in the five largest boroughs or census areas, which included Anchorage Borough, Fairbanks North Star Borough (77,720), Kenai Peninsula Borough (40,802), Matanuska-Susitna Borough (39,683), and Juneau Borough (26,751). The Matanuska-Susitna Borough was the fastest growing area during the past decade, increasing by 122.7% from 17,816 in 1980 to 39,683 in 1990.

A total of 247,986 square miles (61%) of the land and 45,351 square miles of the water in Alaska lies outside of any incorporated city or borough. At the time of the census, 24,547 persons or 4.5% of the population of Alaska lived in these unorganized territories.

Natives were mostly concentrated (56.1%) in rural places, with 46.2% living in rural places below 1,000 persons and only 43.9% urban. In contrast, Whites were predominately urban (72.4%). High urban concentration was also shown by both Blacks (92.7%) and Asian and Pacific Islanders (89.1%), with most Blacks (64.8%) and Asian and Pacific Islanders (55.3%) living in Anchorage.

More Alaska Natives now live in Anchorage (14,569) than in any other borough or census area. Bethel Census Area which had the largest number of Alaska Natives in 1980 dropped to second place with 11,370. The greatest increase occurred in the Anchorage/Matanuska-Susitna region which contained 15.0% of the Alaska Natives in 1980 and 19.3% in 1990. Most of the growth in Alaska Native population was due to natural increase (births minus deaths).

The White population accounted for 415,492 persons or 75.5% of the population in 1990. The other races were accounted as follows: Native (85,698 or 15.6%), Black (22,451 or 4.1%), Asian and Pacific Islanders (19,728 or 3.6%) and Others (6,674 or 1.2%).

In April of 1990, 260,176 persons, or 47.3% of Alaska's population, were female compared to 51.2% female for the United States in 1989. Males totaled 289,867, thus yielding a state male-female sex ratio of 111 men to every 100 females. This differs significantly from the U.S. sex ratio of only 95 men to 100 females. The main sources of distortion for the sex ratio in the state are the presence of military installations, logging, fishing, and mining operations.

The population in Alaska is younger than the national average. Further, the Alaska Native population is much younger than the White population because of its high fertility rate. The 1989 median age in the United States was 31.5 for males and 33.8 for females. The 1990 median age for males in Alaska was 28.5 and the median age for females was 28.4 years. Almost 40% of the population was age 25 to 44 years old. Only 4.1% of the population was over 65, while those under 18 accounted for 31.0%.

Alaska's fertility rate has always been well above the national average. In 1990, Alaska had one of the higher levels of fertility of any state with 2.6 children per family. Utah has had the highest fertility, averaging 2.6 children per family. Between July 1, 1989 and July 1, 1990, 11,695 persons were born in Alaska and 2,110 persons died, a net natural increase of 9,585 persons. This translated into a growth of 1.8% per year as a result of natural increase. Births each year were equivalent to about 2.1% of the beginning population. Approximately 0.4% of the population in Alaska died each year.

In 1990, 226,701 persons or 56.6% of the population 15 and over were currently married and not separated. The currently married declined from 58.1% in 1980. The largest increase was in persons currently divorced. In 1990, 44,541 persons or 11.1% of all persons 15 and older were currently divorced, up from only 8.5% in 1980. The number of persons currently divorced increased 78.6%, twice as fast as the growth of the state's population. The statistics on changing marital status, along with the increasing proportion of persons living alone confirm the continuing decline in traditional families in Alaska and the U.S.

The role of Armed Forces' population in Alaska has always been significant in the state's population and population growth. Currently, the overall Armed Forces' population of Alaska is relatively stable, and accounts for 10.5% (including dependents) of the state's population. The largest number of military and dependents on bases in Alaska were found at Elmendorf AFB and Ft. Richardson in Anchorage Borough (27,486), Eielson AFB and Ft. Wainwright in Fairbanks North Star Borough (18,795), Adak Naval Station in Aleutians West Census Area (5,034), Kodiak Coast Guard Station in Kodiak Island Borough (2,435) and Ft. Greely in Southeast Fairbanks Census Area (1,157).

During the next few years, population change will continue to be strongly influenced by births. Alaska has one of the highest rates of natural increase in the nation. This provides a strong force for growth within the state even in periods of net out-migration. The positive economic growth expected in the early nineties should contribute to a period of net in-migration to the state which, when combined with the natural increase, should create fairly strong population growth at least for the short term.

CHAPTER 1

ALASKA STATE POPULATION

Introduction

This chapter discusses population trends for Alaska. It contains a section on the components of population change which includes births, deaths, and migration. There is a discussion of the age/sex and race composition of the state.

1990 Census Results

The U.S. Census population for Alaska, even though it has an April 1, 1990 date, was conducted over a period of months, beginning in February and ending in May.

The U.S. Census Bureau defines a resident as a person who resides in a place for at least six months of the year and has no other usual place of residence. Residents of remote work sites are given the opportunity to list their place of residence as being somewhere other than the remote site. In 1980 and 1990, for example, most North Slope oil workers listed their place of residence as in some other part of Alaska or out-of-state.

Foreign nationals who were resident aliens were counted in the U.S. communities in which they resided. Persons enumerated at work sites, such as the North Slope or fish processing or logging camps, were given a form that allowed them to indicate their usual place of residence if it was different from the place in which they were being counted. Since these were special census forms, it is uncertain whether clear instructions on completing the form were given at all such sites in 1990.

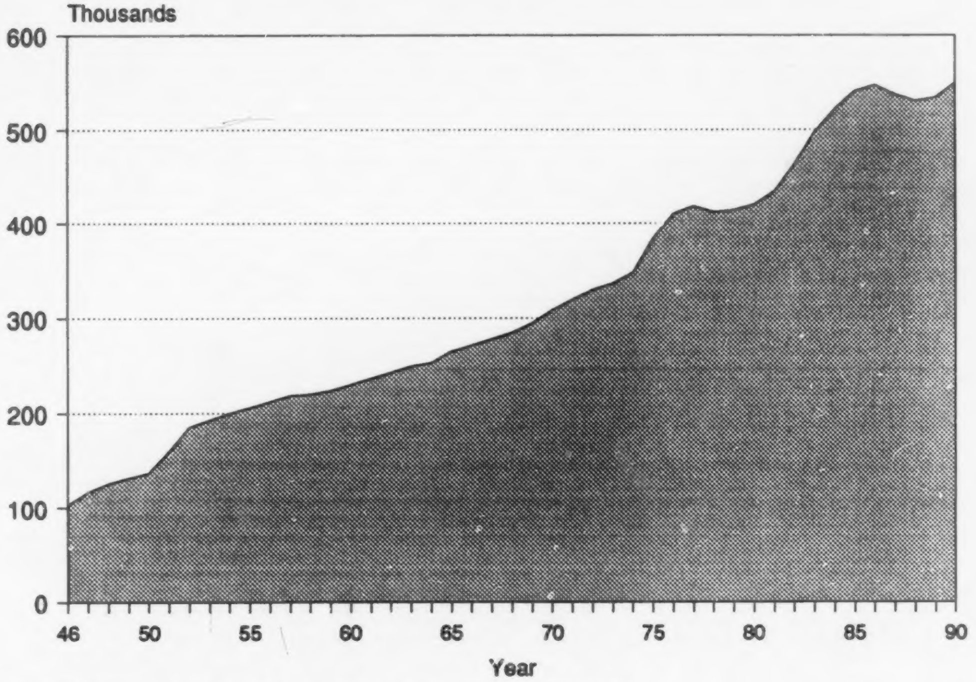
Data on age, sex, and race composition for the state, census areas, boroughs, and places is currently available for 1990. Summary Tape File 1A containing age, race and sex and housing and household data for geography down to the block group level was released at the end of April. The data are too extensive to report here and will not be available in published form from the U.S. Census Bureau until late summer/early fall 1991. This publication only briefly covers age/race/sex data because of time and space limitations.

Detailed age/race/sex information will appear in *Alaska Population Projections* scheduled for release in August. Detailed 1990 census results for voting districts, census areas and places were released in spring 1991 as part of the Public Law data (PL94-171) used for redistricting. These counts of persons and houses are extremely detailed and cover every block in Alaska. Release of social and economic data is expected in late 1991 or early 1992. Inquiries may be made of the State Data Center unit or the Demographics unit of the Department of Labor, Research & Analysis regarding availability of tables from these tapes.

This issue of *Alaska Population Overview* differs from past issues because it primarily includes census information rather than estimates. The Demographics unit will be testing the accuracy of the estimates methods and indicators used during the 1980s against the 1990 census

Figure 1.1

ALASKA POPULATION TRENDS 1946-1990



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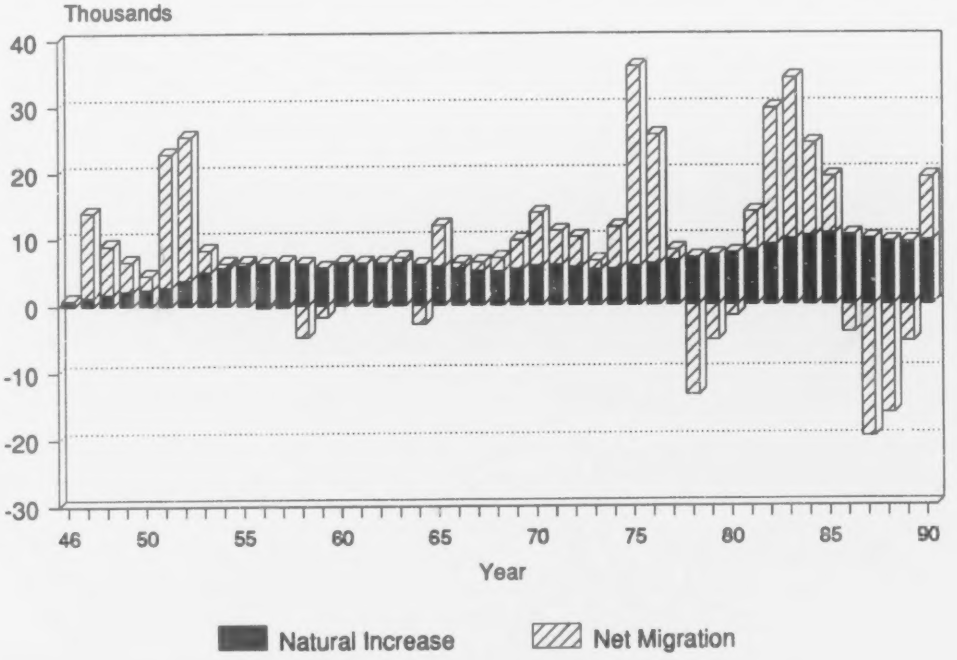
counts. The results of these tests will be used to select methods to use during the 1990s. These results will be summarized in the next *Alaska Population Overview* and presented in detail in a special demographic report series.

No estimation procedure can substitute for a full census population count. Unfortunately, even a census may contain errors. A census can miss people or count too many people because of flaws in the enumeration process such as poor maps, poorly trained enumerators, lack of follow-up on households which do not respond, and double counting of persons at two locations through inaccurate allocation of residency. In addition, the census can be flawed by the refusal of people to respond.

Every census is subject to a small undercount. Nationwide the undercount in 1980 was estimated at 1.0%. In 1980, Alaska's census was among the worst in the country with an estimated 3.6% undercount. The undercount in Alaska for the 1990 census is about 2.0%. The 1990 census counts for Alaska are substantially better than the 1980 counts.

It appears that the 1990 census counted more persons as Alaska residents in fish processing and logging activity than were captured in 1980. Also the 1990 census allocated crews of commercial ships and naval and Coast Guard vessels in port to the harbor they were in when the census was taken. U.S. ships in U.S. waters with a given port as their origin or destination were counted as population of that port. Ships' crews were counted as group quarters population. Persons living on board small craft were counted the same as persons living in houses or apartments. Crews of small fishing vessels were counted at their shore based homes. Because the 1990

Figure 1.2
ALASKA COMPONENTS OF GROWTH 1946-1990



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census created census block numbering areas and tracts for all of the U.S., it is now possible to identify commercial ships in port populations for any port. In 1980, these populations could only be identified for Anchorage, Juneau and Cordova. It is not yet certain, but it appears that these populations represent Coast Guard vessels and floating processor ships or other transient vessels or ships outward or inward bound to a given port.

Such vessels accounted for 2,066 persons in the 1990 census in Alaska or 0.4% of the state's population. In the Aleutians West Census Area, however, these vessels accounted for 11.2% of the population count; in the Aleutians East Borough, 7.6%; Kodiak Island Borough 3.1% and in Valdez-Cordova Census Area 2.9%. At the community level, these vessels had an even larger impact. These crews accounted for 31.7% of the population of Unalaska, 31.7% of the population of Akutan, 13.1% of the population of Kodiak Station, 10.4% of the population of St. Paul, 5.6% of the population of Valdez, 2.9% of the population of Cordova, 2.2% of the population of the City of Kodiak, and 1.4% of the population of Homer.

Population Trends

The 1990 census count for Alaska's resident population was 550,043 or 0.22% of the population of the U.S. The United States' population, including Armed Forces overseas, was 249,632,692 for April 1, 1990. The resident population of the United States, excluding territories and military overseas, was 248,709,873. Counting the District of Columbia, there were 51 "states" for population purposes. Despite its large size, Alaska was one of the smallest states by population. Only Wyoming, whose population was 453,588, was smaller. The next largest state, Vermont, had a 1990 population of 562,758.

Land area in Alaska covered 570,374 square miles, water area covered 86,051 square miles. Alaska had 16.1% of the land area of the U.S. and 34.3% of the water area. Alaska was about 70% urban, which meant that a significant portion of its population lived in places of 2,500 persons or more. Alaska averaged 0.96 persons per square mile in 1990, whereas the U.S. averaged 70.33 persons. Excluding Anchorage, which contained 41% of the state's population but only 0.30% of the land area, Alaska averaged 0.57 persons per square mile. Most Alaskans live in towns and villages or clustered settlements. Much of the state remains almost uninhabited or tied up in national parks, wildlife and wilderness preserves. Population densities for boroughs and census areas and places are shown in Table 4.3.

The population of Alaska was quite small before the gold rush in the 1880s. The early territorial censuses were incomplete. The first census in 1880 showed 33,426 persons. The gold rush doubled the state's population between 1890 and 1900. After the turn of the century, the population of Alaska remained stable for the next 40 years. The 1900 population was reported at 63,592 and by 1939 the population was only 59,278.

World War II brought the construction of the Alcan Highway. The result was dramatic growth of the state's population as shown in Table 1.1 and Figure 1.1. Although the proportion has declined since World War II, the military continues to play a substantial role in the state. Ten percent of the population is still military and their dependents. The military, historically, have played a key role in the development of both Anchorage and Fairbanks.

Figure 1.3

STATEWIDE CHANGE IN RACIAL AND ETHNIC COMPOSITION 1980-1990

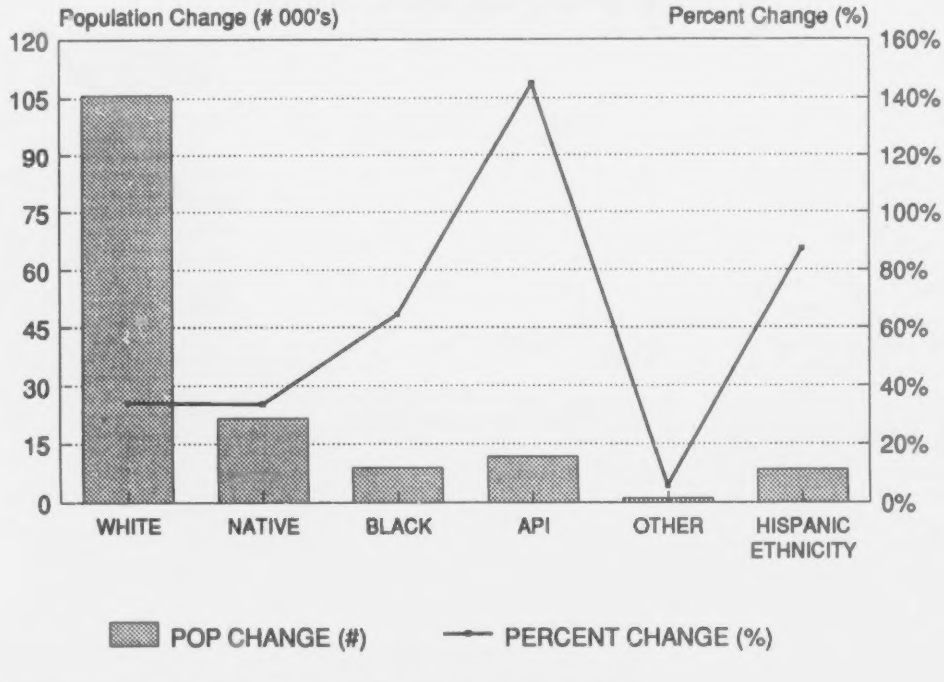

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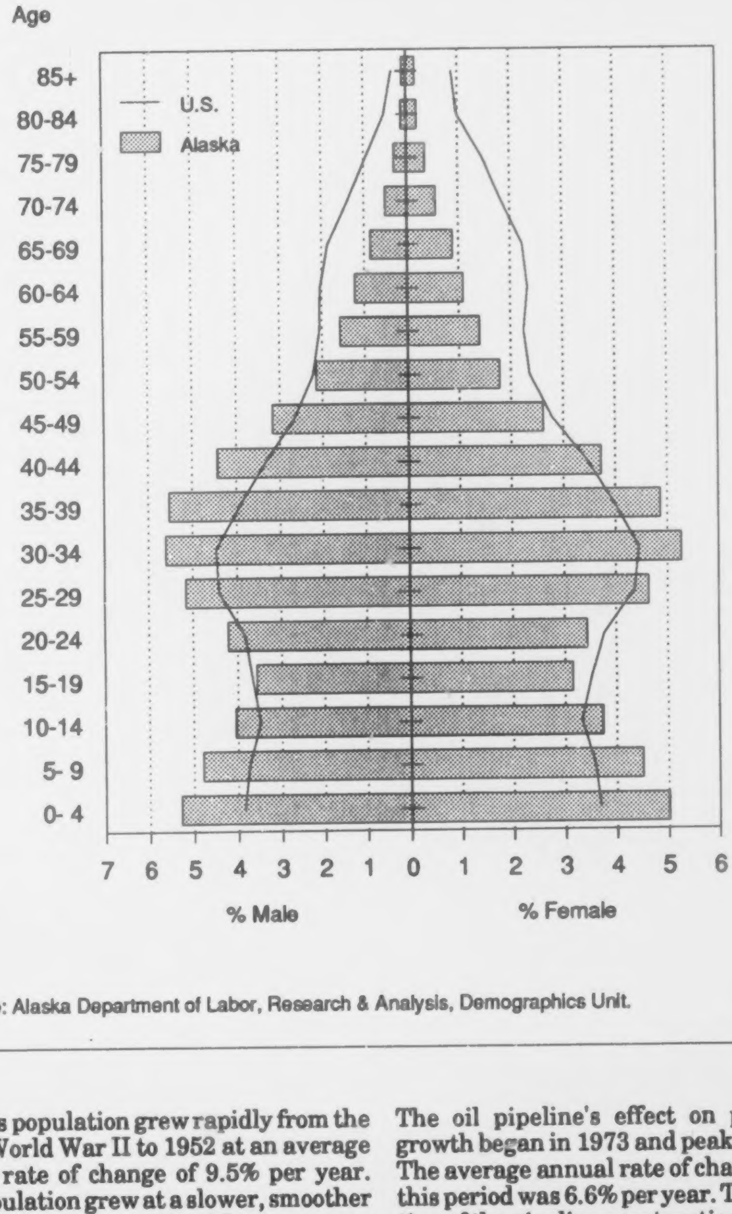
Figure 1.4

ALASKA AND U.S. POPULATION PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY AGE AND SEX, 1990



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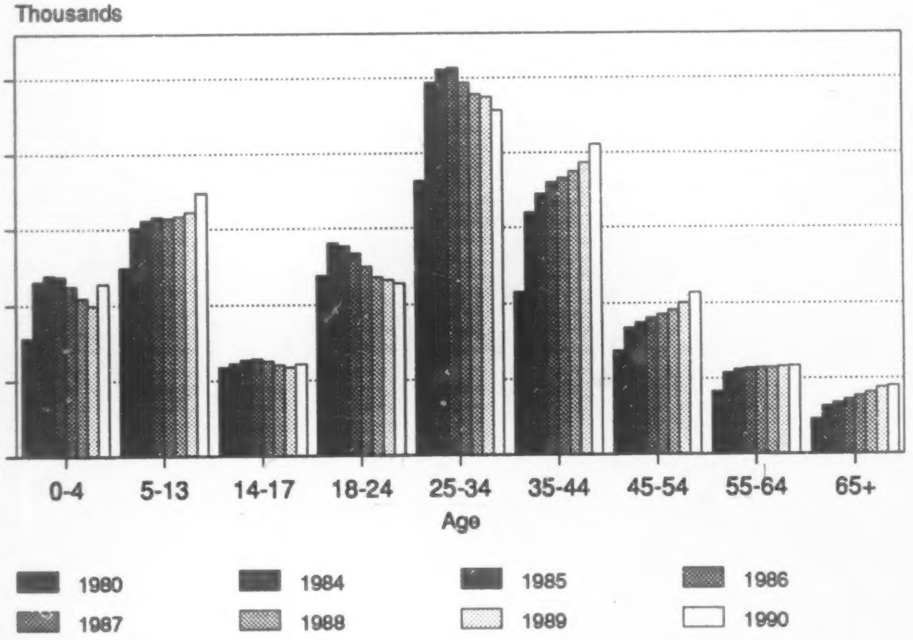
Alaska's population grew rapidly from the end of World War II to 1952 at an average annual rate of change of 9.5% per year. The population grew at a slower, smoother pace from 1952 to 1965 with an average annual rate of change of 2.7% per year. Alaska had approximately 224,000 people at the time of statehood in 1959. From 1965 to 1973 population growth gradually increased, to 3.0% per year.

The oil pipeline's effect on population growth began in 1973 and peaked in 1975. The average annual rate of change during this period was 6.6% per year. The completion of the pipeline construction boom was followed by a recession during the 1976-80 period. Alaska had a population loss of about 6,400 people between 1977 and 1978. The net loss of people as a result of migration in that year was over 13,400 persons.

Figure 1.5
ALASKA POPULATION BY AGE
SELECTED YEARS, 1980-1990



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However, the annual rate of change over the four year period, averaged 0.6% per year.

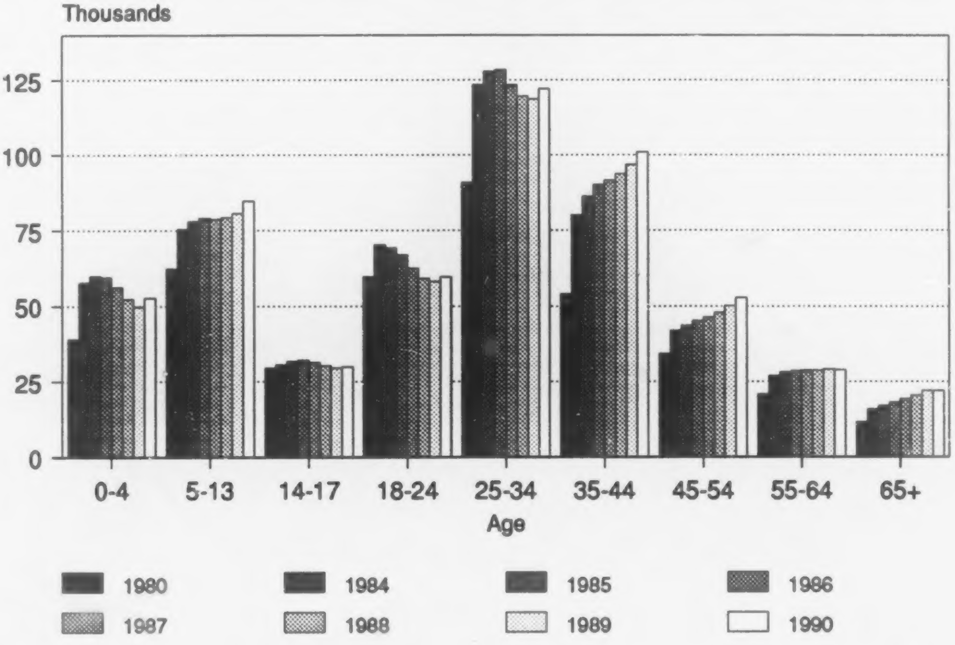
Between mid-1980 and mid-1985, Alaska experienced another boom. This economic growth resulted from construction and infrastructure development fueled by a combination of state spending based on oil revenues, major federal expenditures, and private development. As a result, Alaska's population grew by a phenomenal 25% in five years, making it the most rapidly growing state in the nation. The most growth occurred in the 1981-1983 period during which the annual rate of change averaged 6.8% per year. The pace of growth began to slow during 1983-84 with a rate of change of 4.8% and declined further in 1984-85 to 3.6%.

From 1985-89, Alaska experienced a recession similar to that of 1977-80 but more severe. During the period of most severe retrenchment in 1986-87, the rate of population change declined to -1.8%. The cumulative loss of persons to out-migration in the period 1985-89 was about 45,900 persons as compared to an out-migration of 20,400 during the post-pipeline period. This population loss was equal to about 8.3% of the state's peak 1986 population. This is a greater proportional loss than the loss of Spokane, Washington relative to Washington's total population or the loss of San Diego metropolitan statistical area relative to California's total population. By 1989, net out-migration slowed enough to allow the natural increase of births over deaths to produce the first increase in population since 1986.

A positive increase through net migration gain was achieved for the first time in five years in 1989-90. Migration increases even surpassed the natural increase, an event

Figure 1.6

ALASKA POPULATION BY AGE
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION, SELECTED YEARS, 1980-1990



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that had not occurred since 1984. Growth increased during 1989-90 to the 1985 level at a rate of change of 3.6%. The net migration shown in Table 1.1, however, reflects both real migration and "error of closure" between the estimates series of the 1980s and the 1990 census. An adjusted intercensal smooth series between 1980 and 1990 cannot be created until it is determined what part of the change between 1989 and 1990 is produced by each of these factors. The average annual rate of population change for Alaska during the July 1, 1980 to July 1, 1990 period was 2.8% per year; whereas the change for the U.S. was only 0.9% per year.

Population change should continue to be strongly influenced by births in coming years. Alaska continues to have one of the highest rates of natural increase (births minus deaths) in the nation. This provides a strong force for growth within the state even in periods of net out-migration. The positive economic growth expected in the early nineties should contribute to a period of net in-migration to the state which, when combined with the natural increase, should create fairly strong population growth at least for the short term. As in the past, such growth may not continue unabated.

The prosperity of Alaska remains heavily dependent upon the demand for her natural resources both at home and abroad. Government spending and policy restrictions set by both the federal and state government will also affect population growth in Alaska. Cutbacks in spending at the federal, state and local government (including military) can dramatically affect the prosperity and growth of the state since about thirty-eight percent of the Alaska's labor force is directly employed by one of these levels of government. The

Table 1.1

ANNUAL COMPONENTS OF POPULATION CHANGE FOR ALASKA, 1945-1990

June 30 to July 1	End of Period Population	Population Change	Average Annual Rate of Change	Components Of Change			
				Births	Deaths	Natural Increase	Net Migrants
1945-46	103,000	—	—	2,050	1,220	830	—
1946-47	117,000	14,000	12.73	2,490	1,200	1,290	12,710
1947-48	126,000	9,000	7.41	2,890	1,180	1,710	7,290
1948-49	132,600	6,600	5.10	3,300	1,190	2,110	4,490
1949-50	137,100	4,500	3.34	3,620	1,220	2,400	2,100
1950-51	160,000	22,900	15.42	4,110	1,310	2,800	20,100
1951-52	185,500	25,500	14.76	5,130	1,310	3,820	21,680
1952-53	193,800	8,300	4.30	6,270	1,280	4,990	3,310
1953-54	200,100	6,300	3.20	6,910	1,240	5,670	630
1954-55	206,500	6,400	3.15	7,190	1,200	5,990	410
1955-56	212,400	5,900	2.82	7,480	1,220	6,260	-360
1956-57	218,600	6,200	2.88	7,730	1,240	6,490	-290
1957-58	220,100	1,500	0.68	7,450	1,200	6,250	-4,750
1958-59	224,000	3,900	1.76	6,830	1,170	5,660	-1,760
1959-60	230,400	6,400	2.82	7,290	1,250	6,040	360
1960-61	236,700	6,300	2.70	7,560	1,300	6,260	40
1961-62	242,800	6,100	2.54	7,610	1,290	6,320	-220
1962-63	249,900	7,100	2.88	7,670	1,320	6,350	750
1963-64	253,200	3,300	1.31	7,480	1,380	6,100	-2,800
1964-65	265,200	12,000	4.63	7,170	1,390	5,780	6,220
1965-66	271,500	6,300	2.35	6,810	1,320	5,490	810
1966-67	277,900	6,400	2.33	6,410	1,300	5,110	1,290
1967-68	284,900	7,000	2.49	6,350	1,317	5,033	1,967
1968-69	294,600	9,700	3.35	6,670	1,330	5,340	4,360
1969-70	308,500	13,900	4.61	7,230	1,370	5,860	8,040
1970-71	319,600	11,100	3.53	7,437	1,444	5,993	5,107
1971-72	329,800	10,200	3.14	7,129	1,462	5,667	4,533
1972-73	336,400	6,600	1.98	6,781	1,468	5,313	1,287
1973-74	348,100	11,700	3.42	6,847	1,467	5,380	6,320
1974-75	384,100	36,000	9.83	7,275	1,497	5,778	30,222
1975-76	409,800	25,700	6.47	7,694	1,570	6,124	19,576
1976-77	418,000	8,200	1.98	8,175	1,612	6,563	1,637
1977-78	411,600	-6,400	1.54	8,668	1,654	7,014	-13,414
1978-79	413,700	2,100	0.51	9,043	1,654	7,389	-5,289
1979-80	419,800	6,100	1.46	9,398	1,649	7,749	-1,649
1980-81	433,800	14,000	3.28	9,906	1,700	8,206	5,794
1981-82	463,400	29,600	6.60	10,781	1,755	9,026	20,574
1982-83	497,600	34,200	7.12	11,723	1,862	9,861	24,339
1983-84	522,000	24,400	4.79	12,319	1,945	10,374	14,026
1984-85	541,300	19,300	3.63	12,727	2,033	10,694	8,606
1985-86	547,600	6,300	1.16	12,556	2,110	10,446	-4,146
1986-87	537,800	-9,800	-1.81	11,941	2,096	9,845	-19,645
1987-88	531,000	-6,800	-1.27	11,451	2,057	9,394	-16,194
1988-89	534,400	3,400	0.64	11,409	2,060	9,349	-5,949
1989-90*	553,600	19,200	3.53	11,695	2,110	9,585	9,615

Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

* 1989-1990 change not adjusted for any error of closure between 1980's series and 1990 census.

proportion of all income is even higher, since wages are higher than the state average among government workers. Undoubtedly, Alaska like most western states will continue to have a boom-bust economy for many years to come. Alaska's population has increased over fivefold since 1946. Despite fluctuations in population growth in Alaska, the overall trend during the post-World War II period has been towards strong positive growth.

The physical resources of this state will continue to be unique. Demand to exploit Alaskan minerals such as oil, gold, and coal remains strong. Fishing and forestry will continue to play a role in Alaska's future. Tourism continues to result in demands for increased access to the scenic beauty of the state. Beyond the economic considerations, the intangible resource of Alaska as a place of wilderness, beauty, and special way of life will continue to attract migrants to the last frontier.

Components of Change

Population change is made up of natural increase (births minus deaths) and migration as shown in Table 1.1 and Figure 1.2. For the most part, natural increase is the fairly stable component of population change. Death rates change very slowly, and while current fertility depends on a variety of factors, the general birth trend does not change direction quickly. Migration is the most unstable component of population change in the state, often changing dramatically from one year to the next.

Births and Deaths

Nationwide fertility rates declined from the 1970s to mid 1980s. In the latter 1980s, this trend reversed. From a nationwide low in 1987 of 1.8 children per family, fertility increased to a 1990 high of 2.1 children per family. This increase was primarily the result of increased fertility for older baby boom women who postponed marriage and childbearing. Alaska's fertility rate has always been well above the national average. In 1990, Alaska had one of the higher levels of fertility of any state with 2.6 children per family. Utah has had the highest fertility, averaging 2.6 children per family. Decade trends in crude birth rates for Alaska, its boroughs and census areas can be seen in Table 2.4. For

Table 1.2

MIGRANTS TO AND FROM ALASKA, 1980-1990

July 1 to July 1	Net Migrants	In Migrants	Out Migrants	Gross Migrants
1980-81	5,794	46,678	40,884	87,562
1980-81	5,794	46,678	40,884	87,562
1981-82	20,574	59,617	39,043	98,660
1982-83	24,339	64,087	39,748	103,835
1983-84	14,026	57,492	43,466	100,958
1984-85	8,606	54,386	45,780	100,166
1985-86	-4,146	52,951	57,097	110,048
1986-87	-19,645	37,685	57,330	95,015
1987-88	-16,194	33,909	50,103	84,012
1988-89	-5,949	40,716	46,665	87,381
1989-90 *	9,615	55,285	45,670	100,955
MIGRATION RATE (% OF POPULATION)				
1980-81	1.35	10.91	9.55	20.46
1981-82	4.65	13.46	8.82	22.28
1982-83	5.14	13.54	8.40	21.94
1983-84	2.76	11.32	8.56	19.87
1984-85	1.62	10.21	6.59	18.80
1985-86	-0.75	9.60	10.35	19.95
1986-87	-3.52	6.76	10.28	17.04
1987-88	-2.96	6.20	9.16	15.35
1988-89	-1.10	7.54	8.64	16.17
1989-90 *	1.77	10.16	8.40	18.56

Source: Alaska Department Of Labor, Research & Analysis Demographics Unit.
* Provisional

Table 1.3

TOTAL AND ALASKA NATIVE POPULATION, 1910-1990

Year	Native Population	% Native	Total Population
1910	25,331	39.4	64,356
1920	26,558	48.3	55,036
1929	29,983	50.6	59,278
1939	32,458	44.8	72,524
1950	33,863	26.3	128,643
1960	42,522	18.8	226,167
1970	50,605	16.7	302,583
1980	64,103	16.0	401,851
1990	85,698	15.6	550,043

Source: U.S. Census & Alaska Department of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

Table 1.4

ALASKA POPULATION COUNTS BY RACE AND TRIBAL GROUP AND SPANISH ORIGIN, 1980-1990

	April 1 1990 Alaska	%	April 1 1980 Alaska	%	Change 1980-90	% Change 1980-90	April 1 1990 U.S.	%	April 1 1980 U.S.	%	Change 1980-90	% Change 1980-90
Total	550,043	100.0	401,851	100.0	148,192	36.9	248,709,873	100.0	226,545,805	100.0	22,164,068	9.8
White	415,492	75.5	309,728	77.1	105,764	34.1	199,686,070	80.3	188,371,622	83.1	11,314,448	6.0
Native American	85,698	15.6	64,103	16.0	21,595	33.7	1,959,234	0.8	1,420,400	0.6	538,834	37.9
Eskimo	44,401	8.1	34,144	8.5	10,257	30.0	n/a		42,162	0.0		
Inupiaq*	n/a		14,539	3.6			n/a					
Yu'pik*	n/a		19,604	4.9			n/a					
American Indian	31,245	5.7	21,869	5.4	9,376	42.9	n/a		1,364,033	0.6		
Athabaskan*	n/a		9,300	2.3			n/a					
Tlingit*	n/a		7,192	1.8			n/a					
Haida*	n/a		1,011	0.3			n/a					
Tsimshian*	n/a		1,208	0.3			n/a					
Other N. American Tribes*	n/a		3,157	0.8			n/a					
Aleut	10,052	1.8	8,090	2.0	1,962	24.3	n/a		14,162	0.0		
Other Races	48,853	8.9	27,521	6.8	21,332	77.5	47,064,569	18.9	36,753,783	16.2	10,310,786	28.1
Black	22,451	4.1	13,144	3.3	9,307	70.8	29,986,060	12.1	26,495,025	11.7	3,491,035	13.2
Asian & Pacific Islander	19,728	3.6	8,054	2.0	11,674	144.9	7,273,662	2.9	3,500,439	1.5	3,773,223	107.8
Filipino	7,976	1.5	3,092	0.8	4,884	158.0	n/a.		774,652	0.3		
Korean	4,163	0.8	1,536	0.4	2,627	171.0	n/a.		354,593	0.2		
Japanese	2,066	0.4	1,595	0.4	471	29.5	n/a.		700,974	0.3		
Chinese	1,342	0.2	522	0.1	820	157.1	n/a.		806,040	0.4		
Other and Unknown Race	6,674	1.2	6,323	1.6	351	5.6	9,804,847	3.9	6,758,319	3.0	3,046,528	45.1
Hispanic Origin by Race: [Note persons of Hispanic Origin can be of any race]												
Total Hispanic Origin	17,803	3.2	9,057	2.3	8,746	96.6	22,354,059	9.0	14,608,673	6.4	7,745,386	53.0
White Hispanic Origin	8,770	1.6	5,093	1.3	3,677							
Black Hispanic Origin	652	0.1	222	0.1	430							
Other and Unknown Race Hispanic Origin	6,279	1.1	5,928	1.5	351							

* Alaska Dept of Labor estimate based on adjustment of U.S. Census Data.

Source: 1980 and 1990 Census of Population & Housing and special U.S. Census tabulations.

most areas of the state, current birth rates were only slightly lower than those seen nationwide during the baby boom of the 1950s.

Between July 1, 1989 and July 1, 1990, 11,695 persons were born in Alaska and 2,110 persons died, a net natural increase of 9,585 persons. This translated into a growth of 1.8% per year as a result of natural increase. Births each year were equivalent to about 2.1% of the beginning population. Approximately 0.4% of the population in Alaska died each year.

Most of the growth in Alaska Native population was due to natural increase. Birth rates among Alaska Natives were very high. In 1990, the crude birth rate for Alaska Natives was 32.8 per 1,000 and the crude death rate was 6.2 per 1,000 for a natural increase of 2.6% per year. For Alaska Natives, the average number of children was about 3.9. In 1970, the average number of children for Alaska Native families was 4.6. The number declined to a low of 2.7 in 1976, and has slowly risen each year since.

In contrast, the crude birth rate for White Alaskans was 19.2 per 1,000 and the crude death rate was 3.6 per 1,000 for a natural increase of 1.6%. For White Alaskans, the average number of children was about 2.4 in 1990. The size of White families in Alaska has been relatively stable since the mid 1970s.

Migration To/From Alaska

As seen in Figure 1.2, migration to Alaska has varied widely from year to year. As a result, it is difficult to identify typical patterns of migration for the state. Rapid growth occurred during World War II represented by a 12.3% rate of proportional growth due to migration for 1945-46. The highest post-World War II proportional growth due to migration occurred during the build up for the Korean War in 1950-51 (14.7%) and 1951-52 (13.6%). In part, these high percentages resulted from the small population base in these years. While the net migration for 1981-82 and 1982-83 was numerically larger than that for 1950-51 and 1951-52, it was proportionally much smaller. By 1983, the net influx of 24,300 migrants accounted for only a 5.3% increase in the population.

The largest single numerical increase due to migration (30,222 or 8.7%), occurred during pipeline construction in 1974-75. The largest numerical loss (-19,645 or -3.6%), occurred in 1986-87, and was larger than the -13,414 or -3.2% loss, which occurred at the end of the pipeline construction in 1977-78.

Historically, the majority of growth from migration in the U.S. occurs in relatively few of the 3,139 counties. Most communities in the U.S. attract relatively few migrants each year. Because the late teens and twenties are the ages of highest migration, most communities provide a pool of young migrants who usually leave the communities of their birth to find better opportunities elsewhere.

Migration statistics are derived from change of address on Internal Revenue Service (IRS) tax returns. Alaska tends to have among the highest levels of in, out and gross migration of any state in the union. During 1987-88, 50,103 or 9.2% of Alaska residents left the state and some 33,909 persons or a number equal to 6.2% of Alaska's residents entered the state. The net loss due to migration was about 3.0%. These migration rates include rotation of military personnel in and out of the state. The military probably accounts for about 20% of the in, out and gross migration flow of the state each year.

IRS migration statistics for 1988-89 and 1989-90 were not available for this publication. The residual net migration for 1989-90 may not be accurate because it currently includes both migration and the error of closure. The error of closure is the difference between the estimate of population for April 1, 1990 and the April 1, 1990 census count of population. Since April 1, 1990 estimates of population cannot be completed without the 1988-90 IRS migration statistics, no attempt has been made to develop a smooth series for the 1980s that accurately reflects the migration for the 1989-90 period. The 1989-90 net migration will be somewhat less than the 9,615 shown, perhaps about 6,000-7,000. Readers should be aware of the discontinuity in the data series and Tables 1.1 and 1.2.

The highest turnover is for persons in their twenties and children under 5. Sta-

Table 1.5

ALASKA POPULATION ESTIMATES BY AGE AND SEX, JULY 1990

	July 1, 1990 Total Estimate				July 1, 1990 Total Estimate				July 1, 1990 Total Estimate		
Age 1990	**Total**	**Male**	**Female**	**Age 1990**	**Total**	**Male**	**Female**	**Age 1990**	**Total**	**Male**	**Female**
Under 1	11,325	5,831	5,494	30	11,733	6,063	5,670	60	2,951	1,589	1,362
1	10,970	5,630	5,340	31	11,930	6,130	5,800	61	2,763	1,491	1,272
2	10,836	5,520	5,316	32	12,085	6,196	5,889	62	2,581	1,392	1,189
3	10,828	5,575	5,253	33	12,147	6,247	5,900	63	2,400	1,267	1,133
4	11,024	5,681	5,343	34	12,140	6,290	5,850	64	2,272	1,179	1,093
0-4	54,983	28,237	26,746	30-34	60,035	30,926	29,109	60-64	12,967	6,918	6,049
5	10,867	5,574	5,293	35	12,077	6,318	5,759	65	2,153	1,082	1,071
6	10,587	5,421	5,166	36	11,947	6,308	5,639	66	2,063	1,021	1,042
7	10,562	5,449	5,113	37	11,725	6,239	5,486	67	1,984	978	1,006
8	10,139	5,278	4,861	38	11,359	6,080	5,279	68	1,874	927	947
9	9,730	5,007	4,723	39	10,888	5,852	5,036	69	1,682	829	853
5-9	51,885	26,729	25,156	35-39	57,996	30,797	27,199	65-69	9,756	4,837	4,919
10	9,580	4,951	4,629	40	10,244	5,540	4,704	70	1,517	731	786
11	9,179	4,830	4,349	41	9,842	5,336	4,506	71	1,284	619	665
12	8,647	4,492	4,155	42	9,245	5,053	4,192	72	1,196	570	626
13	8,273	4,277	3,996	43	9,434	5,179	4,255	73	1,068	517	551
14	7,902	4,126	3,776	44	7,471	4,026	3,445	74	1,005	461	544
10-14	43,581	22,676	20,905	40-44	46,236	25,134	21,102	70-74	6,070	2,898	3,172
15	7,681	4,011	3,670	45	6,897	3,713	3,184	75	950	442	508
16	7,480	3,877	3,603	46	6,905	3,759	3,146	76	839	396	443
17	7,381	3,824	3,557	47	6,845	3,748	3,097	77	690	323	367
18	7,092	3,831	3,261	48	6,116	3,346	2,770	78	663	308	355
19	7,565	4,164	3,401	49	5,567	3,083	2,484	79	585	257	328
15-19	37,199	19,707	17,492	45-49	32,330	17,649	14,681	75-79	3,727	1,726	2,001
20	8,268	4,650	3,618	50	5,009	2,773	2,236	80	536	238	298
21	8,274	4,707	3,567	51	4,659	2,545	2,114	81	450	176	274
22	7,943	4,365	3,578	52	4,443	2,429	2,014	82	387	136	251
23	8,309	4,489	3,820	53	4,129	2,255	1,874	83	340	133	207
24	8,930	4,811	4,119	54	3,872	2,106	1,766	84	236	97	139
20-24	41,724	23,022	18,702	50-54	22,112	12,108	10,004	80-84	1,949	780	1,169
25	9,670	5,195	4,475	55	3,761	2,004	1,757	85+	957	363	594
26	10,285	5,477	4,808	56	3,505	1,889	1,616				
27	10,776	5,683	5,093	57	3,309	1,753	1,556	TOTAL	553,600	291,564	262,036
28	11,178	5,850	5,328	58	3,081	1,631	1,450				
29	11,506	5,983	5,523	59	3,022	1,592	1,430	16+	395,470	209,911	185,559
								18+	380,609	202,210	178,399
25-29	53,415	28,188	25,227	55-59	16,678	8,869	7,809	65+	22,459	10,604	11,855

	Total	Male	Female
Median Age	28.5	28.5	28.4
Males Per 100 Females			111.3
Youth Dependency (<18/18-64)			48.3
Aged Dependency (65+/18-64)			6.3

Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

Table 1.6

ALASKA POPULATION ESTIMATES BY AGE, RACE AND SEX, APRIL 1, 1990

	April 1, 1990 Total Estimate			% of Total	April 1, 1990 White Estimate			% of Total	April 1, 1990 Alaska Native Estimate			% of Total
Age	Total	Male	Female		Total	Male	Female		Total	Male	Female	
0-4	54,897	28,189	26,708	100.00	37,529	19,375	18,154	68.36	11,903	6,022	5,881	21.68
5-9	51,736	26,635	25,101	100.00	36,696	18,994	17,702	70.93	10,176	5,154	5,022	19.67
10-14	43,179	22,503	20,676	100.00	30,908	16,167	14,741	71.58	8,210	4,207	4,003	19.01
15-19	37,151	19,689	17,462	100.00	26,504	14,109	12,395	71.34	7,110	3,646	3,464	19.14
20-24	41,228	22,783	18,445	100.00	29,327	16,307	13,020	71.13	6,896	3,473	3,423	16.73
25-29	53,341	28,185	25,156	100.00	39,837	21,166	18,671	74.68	8,064	4,090	3,974	15.12
30-34	59,624	30,718	28,906	100.00	46,536	24,216	22,320	78.05	7,388	3,618	3,770	12.39
35-39	57,768	30,720	27,048	100.00	46,742	25,070	21,672	80.91	6,272	3,179	3,093	10.86
40-44	45,329	24,652	20,677	100.00	37,525	20,713	16,812	82.78	4,544	2,280	2,264	10.02
45-49	32,117	17,578	14,539	100.00	26,519	14,781	11,738	82.57	3,648	1,847	1,801	11.36
50-54	21,812	11,945	9,867	100.00	17,576	9,834	7,742	80.58	2,812	1,414	1,398	12.89
55-59	16,595	8,817	7,778	100.00	12,933	7,049	5,884	77.93	2,589	1,289	1,300	15.60
60-64	12,897	6,901	5,996	100.00	10,132	5,589	4,543	78.56	1,949	937	1,012	15.11
65-69	9,626	4,780	4,846	100.00	7,385	3,725	3,660	76.72	1,590	779	811	16.52
70-74	5,922	2,826	3,096	100.00	4,551	2,229	2,322	76.85	977	432	545	16.50
75-79	3,639	1,692	1,947	100.00	2,595	1,231	1,364	71.31	825	355	470	22.67
80-84	1,931	781	1,150	100.00	1,386	548	838	71.78	442	181	261	22.89
85+	1,251	473	778	100.00	886	297	589	70.82	303	140	163	24.22
TOTAL	550,043	289,867	260,176	100.00	415,492	221,325	194,167	75.54	85,698	43,043	42,655	15.58
Selected ages:												
Under 1	11,011	5,651	5,360	100.00	7,553	3,905	3,648	68.60	2,336	1,189	1,147	21.22
1-2	21,948	11,240	10,708	100.00	14,826	7,646	7,180	67.55	4,945	2,478	2,467	22.53
5	10,840	5,548	5,292	100.00	7,708	3,984	3,724	71.11	2,178	1,094	1,084	20.09
6	10,555	5,399	5,156	100.00	7,344	3,788	3,556	69.58	2,194	1,111	1,083	20.79
10-11	18,645	9,773	8,872	100.00	13,337	6,984	6,353	71.53	3,535	1,842	1,693	18.96
12-13	16,710	8,635	8,075	100.00	12,027	6,267	5,760	71.97	3,140	1,562	1,578	18.79
15	7,673	3,993	3,680	100.00	5,481	2,881	2,600	71.43	1,480	739	741	19.29
16	7,471	3,854	3,617	100.00	5,273	2,717	2,556	70.58	1,548	822	726	20.72
17	7,388	3,817	3,571	100.00	5,297	2,754	2,543	71.70	1,436	723	713	19.44
18	6,963	3,807	3,156	100.00	4,939	2,706	2,233	70.93	1,290	676	614	18.53
19	7,656	4,218	3,438	100.00	5,514	3,051	2,463	72.02	1,356	686	670	17.71
20	8,315	4,713	3,602	100.00	5,993	3,436	2,557	72.07	1,294	642	652	15.56
21	8,050	4,605	3,445	100.00	5,724	3,298	2,426	71.11	1,276	640	636	15.85
22	7,828	4,325	3,503	100.00	5,549	3,089	2,460	70.89	1,304	650	654	16.66
60-61	5,689	3,084	2,605	100.00	4,470	2,503	1,967	78.57	875	421	454	15.38
16+	392,558	208,547	184,011	100.00	304,953	163,983	140,970	77.68	53,929	26,921	27,008	13.74
18+	377,699	200,876	176,823	100.00	294,383	158,512	135,871	77.94	50,945	25,376	25,569	13.49
65+	22,369	10,552	11,817	100.00	16,803	8,030	8,773	75.12	4,137	1,887	2,250	18.49
Median Age:	28.4	28.5	28.4		29.8	30.0	29.6		23.1	22.8	23.4	
Males /100 Females:	111.4				114.0				100.9			
Youth Dependency: (<18/18-64)	48.5				43.7				74.2			
Aged Dependency: (65+/18-64)	6.3				6.1				8.8			

Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

Table 1.7

ALASKA POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE AND SEX, 1980

Age 1980	April 1, 1980 Total Population Counts			Age 1980	April 1, 1980 Total Population Counts			Age 1980	April 1, 1980 Total Population Counts		
	Total	Male	Female		Total	Male	Female		Total	Male	Female
Under 1	8,753	4,452	4,301	30	9,486	5,106	4,380	60	1,958	1,027	931
1	8,084	4,189	3,895	31	8,715	4,614	4,101	61	1,714	907	807
2	7,624	3,959	3,665	32	8,873	4,828	4,045	62	1,660	917	743
3	7,377	3,756	3,621	33	8,412	4,600	3,812	63	1,389	731	658
4	7,111	3,684	3,427	34	6,677	3,528	3,149	64	1,375	721	654
0-4	38,949	20,040	18,909	30-34	42,163	22,676	19,487	60-64	8,096	4,303	3,793
5	6,956	3,610	3,346	35	6,762	3,631	3,131	65	1,298	689	609
6	6,670	3,356	3,314	36	6,781	3,686	3,095	66	1,096	552	544
7	7,014	3,556	3,458	37	6,553	3,597	2,956	67	987	558	429
8	6,887	3,545	3,342	38	5,630	3,053	2,577	68	954	507	447
9	7,516	3,876	3,640	39	5,590	3,110	2,480	69	871	434	437
5-9	35,043	17,943	17,100	35-39	31,316	17,077	14,239	65-69	5,206	2,740	2,466
10	7,332	3,736	3,596	40	5,157	2,830	2,327	70	766	378	388
11	6,748	3,485	3,263	41	4,672	2,547	2,125	71	666	344	322
12	6,530	3,327	3,203	42	4,485	2,492	1,993	72	617	298	319
13	6,710	3,479	3,231	43	4,293	2,355	1,938	73	539	279	260
14	6,962	3,693	3,269	44	4,099	2,260	1,839	74	518	239	279
10-14	34,282	17,720	16,562	40-44	22,706	12,484	10,222	70-74	3,106	1,538	1,568
15	7,380	3,824	3,556	45	3,977	2,170	1,807	75	474	242	232
16	7,503	3,982	3,521	46	3,760	2,039	1,721	76	412	192	220
17	7,588	4,008	3,580	47	3,744	2,041	1,703	77	368	161	207
18	6,962	3,729	3,233	48	3,409	1,860	1,549	78	289	144	145
19	7,721	4,276	3,445	49	3,514	1,872	1,642	79	302	144	158
15-19	37,154	19,819	17,335	45-49	18,404	9,982	8,422	75-79	1,845	883	962
20	8,404	4,677	3,727	50	3,573	1,969	1,604	80	229	121	108
21	8,728	4,823	3,905	51	3,230	1,777	1,453	81	156	68	88
22	8,942	4,874	4,068	52	3,189	1,809	1,380	82	155	67	88
23	9,267	4,828	4,439	53	2,950	1,587	1,363	83	124	48	76
24	9,749	4,984	4,765	54	2,897	1,569	1,328	84	107	47	60
20-24	45,090	24,186	20,904	50-54	15,839	8,711	7,128	80-84	771	351	420
25	10,046	5,197	4,849	55	2,885	1,566	1,319	85+	619	247	372
26	9,934	5,199	4,735	56	2,699	1,448	1,251				
27	10,103	5,323	4,780	57	2,471	1,344	1,127	TOTAL	401,851	213,041	188,810
28	9,203	4,808	4,395	58	2,355	1,268	1,087				
29	9,359	5,037	4,322	59	2,207	1,151	1,056	16+	286,197	153,514	132,683
								18+	271,106	145,524	125,582
25-29	48,645	25,564	23,081	55-59	12,617	6,777	5,840	65+	11,547	5,759	5,788

	Total	Male	Female
MEDIAN AGE	26.0	26.3	25.7

MALES PER 100 FEMALES	112.8
YOUTH DEPENDENCY (<18/18-64)	50.4
AGED DEPENDENCY (65+/18-64)	4.4

Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

Table 1.8

ALASKA POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND SEX, 1980

	April 1, 1980 Total				April 1, 1980 White				April 1, 1980 Alaska Native			
Age	Total	Male	Female	% of Total	Total	Male	Female	% of Total	Total	Male	Female	% of Total
0-4	38,949	20,040	18,909	100.00	28,216	14,530	13,686	72.44	7,320	3,780	3,540	18.79
5-9	35,043	17,943	17,100	100.00	25,373	13,046	12,327	72.41	6,867	3,477	3,390	19.60
10-14	34,282	17,720	16,562	100.00	24,662	12,798	11,864	71.94	7,495	3,857	3,638	21.86
15-19	37,154	19,819	17,335	100.00	26,453	14,270	12,183	71.20	8,346	4,255	4,091	22.46
20-24	45,090	24,186	20,904	100.00	34,170	18,317	15,853	75.78	6,899	3,454	3,445	15.30
25-29	48,645	25,564	23,081	100.00	39,000	20,534	18,466	80.17	5,639	2,841	2,798	11.59
30-34	42,163	22,676	19,487	100.00	34,879	18,966	15,913	82.72	4,373	2,194	2,179	10.37
35-39	31,316	17,077	14,239	100.00	25,993	14,359	11,634	83.00	3,458	1,739	1,719	11.04
40-44	22,706	12,484	10,222	100.00	18,470	10,304	8,166	81.34	2,883	1,473	1,410	12.70
45-49	18,404	9,982	8,422	100.00	14,793	8,154	6,639	80.38	2,654	1,354	1,300	14.42
50-54	15,839	8,711	7,128	100.00	12,903	7,247	5,656	81.46	2,179	1,104	1,075	13.76
55-59	12,617	6,777	5,840	100.00	10,237	5,534	4,703	81.14	1,802	945	857	14.28
60-64	8,096	4,303	3,793	100.00	6,442	3,510	2,932	79.57	1,307	628	679	16.14
65-69	5,206	2,740	2,466	100.00	3,773	2,008	1,765	72.47	1,198	599	599	23.01
70-74	3,106	1,538	1,568	100.00	2,187	1,057	1,130	70.41	764	389	375	24.60
75-79	1,845	883	962	100.00	1,241	573	668	67.26	522	264	258	28.29
80-84	771	351	420	100.00	525	236	289	68.09	209	96	113	27.11
85+	619	247	372	100.00	411	146	265	66.40	188	93	95	30.37
Total	401,851	213,041	188,810	100.00	309,728	228,684	205,116	77.08	64,103	32,542	31,561	15.95
Selected ages:												
5	6,956	3,610	3,346	100.00	5,000	2,620	2,380	71.88	1,357	682	675	19.51
14	6,962	3,693	3,269	100.00	4,805	2,540	2,265	69.02	1,732	925	807	24.88
15	7,380	3,824	3,556	100.00	5,181	2,687	2,494	70.20	1,753	914	839	23.75
16	7,503	3,982	3,521	100.00	5,349	2,863	2,486	71.29	1,759	915	844	23.44
17	7,588	4,008	3,580	100.00	5,397	2,881	2,516	71.13	1,748	888	860	23.04
18	6,962	3,729	3,233	100.00	5,005	2,737	2,268	71.89	1,480	735	745	21.26
19	7,721	4,276	3,445	100.00	5,521	3,102	2,419	71.51	1,606	803	803	20.80
20	8,404	4,677	3,727	100.00	6,184	3,466	2,718	73.58	1,451	719	732	17.27
21	8,728	4,823	3,905	100.00	6,481	3,590	2,891	74.26	1,455	726	729	16.67
22	8,942	4,874	4,068	100.00	6,722	3,687	3,035	75.17	1,373	686	687	15.35
60-61	3,672	1,934	1,738	100.00	2,952	1,591	1,361	80.39	554	263	291	15.09
16+	286,197	153,514	132,683	100.00	226,296	122,528	103,768	79.07	40,668	20,514	20,154	14.21
18+	271,106	145,524	125,582	100.00	215,550	116,784	98,766	79.51	37,161	18,711	18,450	13.71
65+	11,547	5,759	5,788	100.00	8,137	4,020	4,117	70.47	2,881	1,441	1,440	24.95
MEDIAN AGE:												
	26.0	26.3	25.7		27.0	27.4	26.6		21.4	21.3	21.5	
MALES /100 FEMALES:												
	112.8				111.5				111.5			
YOUTH DEPENDENCY:												
(<18/18-64)	50.4				45.4				78.6			
AGED DEPENDENCY:												
(65+/18-64)	4.4				3.9				8.4			

Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

tistically the average length of stay for a 21 year old in Alaska is 9.9 years for males and 13.6 years for females. This means that of a group of Alaska men currently age 21, 50% can be expected to leave the state by the age of 31.

Another characteristic of migration is that people tend to move short rather than long distances. These moves also tend to be in the form of streams and counter-streams. This means states that contribute more migrants in times of prosperity in Alaska are the same ones to which migrants return when the Alaskan economy falters.

Migration to and from the state is in part dependent upon federal military and program policies which tend to be unique historical events rather than easily predicted trends. The overall economies of the Pacific and Mountain regions relative to that of Alaska also helps to drive migration in this state. Thus when employment in Washington, California and Oregon becomes relatively weak, there is a greater tendency to look to Alaska for opportunity.

As shown in Table 1.2, changes in migration to/from Alaska are more a result of the decline in in-migrants to Alaska than changes in the out-migrants from Alaska. A net loss or gain results from an increase or decrease in the in-migrants relative to out-migrants. The higher the rate of gross migration or turnover, the more unstable the population is. Thus one cannot always tell by observing what appears to be a net gain or loss of population whether changes in in-migration or out-migration are the cause of the change. What appears as massive out-migration may be a normal 10% out-migration with a sharp decline in in-migrants to the state.

Most of the fluctuation in migrants during the 1980s is accounted for by non-Native migration to/from the state. While there has historically been a relatively large migration flow of Alaska Natives to and from the state each year, the flows have been fairly balanced. The net effect has produced an almost negligible gain or loss of Alaska Natives each year due to migration.

Population in Alaska is also very subject to seasonal fluctuations. While the exact amount of seasonal population is currently unknown, an estimate of the annual average number of nonresident workers present in Alaska based on quarterly statistics is about 23,800 for 1988. The seasonal high quarter which occurs during the summer months, would add another 8,400 nonresident workers over the annual quarterly average. While the number of dependents per nonresident worker is unknown, one might assume that seasonal workers in Alaska would tend to bring few dependents with them. It is possible, therefore, that the nonresident population in the state at any given point in time may be equal to about 4-5% of the state's resident population. The midsummer de facto nontourist, nonresident population may be about 6% of the resident population.

Population Composition

Race Composition

Throughout most of Alaska's history, little reliable data has been available on Alaska Natives. This was particularly true before the 1929 Territorial Census. In 1929, there were some 29,983 Alaska Natives in Alaska and they made up 50.6% of the state's population. While their numbers have grown rapidly since 1929, they have not grown as fast as the non-Native population. The proportion of Alaska Natives has declined steadily over time.

The 1990 census showed that 134,551 persons, or 24.5% of the population of Alaska, considered themselves to be some race other than White. The number and proportions of persons by race and tribal group are shown in Table 1.4.

Of the 550,043 persons in Alaska in 1990, Native Americans made up 85,698. For this publication, all Native Americans living in Alaska are referred to as Alaska Natives, even though a small percentage of them belong to continental U. S. tribal groups. Approximately half of the Native Americans belonging to tribes from the Lower 48 states, were born in Alaska. On the other hand, about 20% of all Alaska Natives are estimated to be living outside of Alaska. The economic boom of the early 1980s brought many non-Natives to the state. As a result, the proportion of Alaska Natives dropped from 16.0% in 1980 to

15.6% in 1990. Alaska Natives made up 4.4% of all Native Americans in the U.S.

The White population accounted for 415,492 persons or 75.5% of the population in 1990. Other races, primarily Black, and Asian and Pacific Islanders accounted for 48,853 persons or 8.9% of the population in 1990. These groups were up from 27,521 or 6.8% in 1980.

Figure 1.3 illustrates the statewide population change which took place among the various races from 1980 to 1990. Whites had the largest numerical increase (+105,764) followed by Alaska Natives (+21,595), Asian and Pacific Islanders (+11,674), Blacks (+8,808), and Other Races (+351). Most notable was the substantial increase in the Asian and Pacific Islander population due to a large amount of Asian immigration to Alaska since 1980.

Although Asian and Pacific Islanders composed only the fourth largest race, the population had the third largest numerical increase and had by far the highest percentage gain from 1980, 144.9%. Asian and Pacific Islanders are disproportionately found in Anchorage Borough, Kodiak Island Borough, Juneau Borough, and Aleutians East Borough.

Among Alaska Natives, Eskimos increased by 10,257 persons or 30.0%, American Indians increased by 9,376 or 42.9%, and Aleuts increased by 1,962 or 24.3% during the decade. The distribution of Alaska Natives is discussed at greater length in the next chapter.

During the decade the Black population also increased by 70.8%. In 1990, 89.5% of the Black population of Alaska lived in Anchorage and Fairbanks North Star Borough. It was estimated that at least 40% of the Black population of the state are military or military dependents. The growth of Blacks in the military in Alaska during the decade, however, was only about 32%, so much of the black increase appears to be among the nonmilitary in these communities.

In 1990, there were some 17,803 persons of Hispanic origin in Alaska. This was a 87.3% increase from 9,507 in 1980. In 1990, Hispanics comprised 3.2% of the population of Alaska compared to 9.0% nationwide.

Age/Sex/Race Composition

To produce the July 1990 state estimate, the cohort component model used during the 1980s was carried forward and controlled to the April 1, 1990 Census total for all known age/sex groups. In addition, a mix of model and age data from the Alaska Permanent Fund was used to estimate individual age groups. This model should compare favorably with 1990 census data by single year of age and sex when it is released.

Tables 1.5 and 1.7 show estimates of Alaska's population by detailed age and sex for July 1, 1990 and April 1, 1980. The estimate for July 1990 is based on the total population by age, race and sex for 1990.

The size of each age group in the population under forty has been affected by several events. The first key event was the baby boom which began after World War II and peaked during the late 1950s and early 1960s. The boom occurred when the American family began to average one more child per family, compared to the depression and war years, and the current national family size of about two children. In addition, the age at first marriage dropped and children were spaced a little closer together than in the preceding decades. During the late 1960s and 1970s, the average family size began to decline. This was due to increasing participation in the labor force by females, changing life styles, and better family planning. Currently, U.S. families are well planned and average slightly more than two children.

In general, Americans have been delaying the birth of children after marriage and having children farther apart. Marriage has been postponed until later and rates of divorce are high. Fertility in Alaska reached a low point in 1976 and has increased slowly up to 1990. The number of children born each year is increasing mainly because the baby boom generation is passing through the key child bearing ages. Births to "baby boomers" have not been as high as they could have been. The baby boom generation has married later, postponed children and had fewer chil-

Table 1.9

ALASKA POPULATION BY SELECTED AGE GROUPS, 1950 - 1990

Year	0-4	5-13	14-17	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Total
	Age Groups									
1950	15,579	17,056	5,835	23,597	26,447	18,517	10,656	6,214	4,742	128,643
1955	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	206,500
1960	34,193	43,216	11,487	32,129	39,672	31,981	18,957	9,146	5,386	226,167
1965	33,376	54,374	17,390	39,107	44,811	35,257	23,116	11,587	6,181	265,200
1970	32,075	64,743	23,041	45,517	49,299	38,021	26,939	13,860	6,887	300,382
1975	38,655	68,780	28,595	57,415	77,010	50,287	33,336	18,912	10,111	383,100
1980	38,949	62,363	29,433	59,773	90,808	54,022	34,243	20,713	11,547	401,851
1981	43,820	65,724	29,234	62,923	100,127	59,850	36,646	22,628	12,848	433,800
1982	48,842	68,938	29,068	66,547	108,395	65,943	38,273	23,851	13,543	463,400
1983	54,350	72,829	29,635	69,910	117,428	73,610	40,121	25,215	14,502	497,600
1984	57,755	75,379	30,613	70,175	123,612	80,041	41,807	26,879	15,739	522,000
1985	59,980	77,809	31,698	69,206	127,974	86,068	43,569	28,043	16,953	541,300
1986	59,592	79,076	32,016	67,004	128,401	89,913	45,082	28,454	18,062	547,600
1987	56,288	78,719	31,287	62,607	123,434	91,505	46,202	28,565	19,193	537,800
1988	52,219	79,205	30,130	59,132	119,669	93,652	47,857	28,739	20,397	531,000
1989	49,753	80,655	29,374	58,183	118,746	96,604	50,170	29,030	21,885	534,400
1990	54,983	87,564	30,444	56,381	113,450	104,232	54,442	29,645	22,459	553,600
	Percent Distribution									
1950	12.11	13.26	4.54	18.34	20.56	14.39	8.28	4.83	3.69	100.00
1955	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1960	15.12	19.11	5.08	14.21	17.54	14.14	8.38	4.04	2.38	100.00
1965	12.59	20.50	6.56	14.75	16.90	13.29	8.72	4.37	2.33	100.00
1970	10.68	21.55	7.67	15.15	16.41	12.66	8.97	4.61	2.29	100.00
1975	10.09	17.95	7.46	14.99	20.10	13.13	8.70	4.94	2.64	100.00
1980	9.69	15.52	7.32	14.87	22.60	13.44	8.52	5.15	2.87	100.00
1981	10.10	15.15	6.74	14.51	23.08	13.80	8.45	5.22	2.96	100.00
1982	10.54	14.88	6.27	14.36	23.39	14.23	8.26	5.15	2.92	100.00
1983	10.92	14.64	5.96	14.05	23.60	14.79	8.06	5.07	2.91	100.00
1984	11.06	14.44	5.86	13.44	23.68	15.33	8.01	5.15	3.02	100.00
1985	11.08	14.37	5.86	12.79	23.64	15.90	8.05	5.18	3.13	100.00
1986	10.88	14.44	5.85	12.24	23.45	16.42	8.23	5.20	3.30	100.00
1987	10.47	14.64	5.82	11.64	22.95	17.01	8.59	5.31	3.57	100.00
1988	9.83	14.92	5.67	11.14	22.54	17.6[illegible]	9.01	5.41	3.84	100.00
1989	9.31	15.09	5.50	10.89	22.22	18.0[illegible]	9.39	5.43	4.10	100.00
1990	9.93	15.82	5.50	10.18	20.49	18.83	9.83	5.35	4.06	100.00

Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

... Information not available.

dren. Currently in Alaska, as well as the U.S., there is an upswing in births to these baby boom mothers, particularly those in their 30s. The relatively young average age of the Alaska population makes for many households with young children.

While these trends are reflected as part of the changing age structure of Alaskans, fertility has less impact on the population than does migration. Migration is particularly high for 18-35 year olds and their young children under school age. A decline in fertility from 1986 to 1988 corresponded to a net negative migration for this period. In-migration and fertility rates began increasing in 1989.

Specific Age Groups

The growth trends for various age groups may differ sharply from those of the population as a whole. This is due to differences in historical patterns of fertility, mortality, and migration by age. The population trends for age groups are found in Table 1.9 and Figures 1.5 and 1.6. Population estimates by single year of age/sex for 1990 and 1980 are found in Tables 1.5 and 1.7.

There were some 54,983 children under the age of five in 1990 compared with 38,949 in 1980. They made up 9.9% of the state's population. Between 1980 and 1990 there was a 41.2% increase in the number of children under 5, indicating that this age group grew more rapidly than the total population. Between 1985 and 1990 the number of children under five declined by 8.3% because of a net loss due to migration.

The population aged 5-13, those persons of elementary and junior high school age, increased to about 87,564 by 1990 compared to 62,363 in 1980. Currently 15.8% of the state's population is in this age range as compared to 15.5% in 1980.

The population of high school age children has been much more stable over the years. Alaska's adult population has traditionally been too young to have large numbers of high school age children. In the past, some high school age students have attended boarding schools outside Alaska. This practice is declining. In 1990, there were 30,444 persons aged 14-17 in Alaska (29,433 in 1980). They made up 5.5% of the population (down from 7.3% in 1980). This age group is less subject to changes in migration flows than younger age groups because their parents are older and more stable workers.

The age group 18-24 is most subject to increases and declines in economic conditions. While nationwide this group was declining dramatically, it increased in Alaska to a high of 70,175 in 1984. Since 1984 this group has declined in Alaska to 56,381 in 1990, a decrease of 19.7% in six years.

The population aged 25-34 is composed of young adults in the prime ages for family and household formation. By the estimate, this age group peaked in Alaska at 128,401 in 1986. This age group increased almost 24.9% from 1980 to 1990. The families in this age group contributed to the rapid growth in the number of children under five. By 1990, the persons in this age category had declined to 113,450, a loss of 11.6% of young householders since 1986.

The population aged 35-44 represents the leading edge of the post World War II baby boom. Rapid growth in this age group since 1980 has resulted from an increased migration of more established families as well as the aging of the Alaska population. In spite of overall losses in the state's population in the 1986-87 period, this age group continued to grow reaching its highest level of 104,232 persons in 1990. This age group has also had the greatest numerical increase (50,210 or 92.9% since 1980), and is proportionally the most rapidly growing age group.

The ages 45-54 and 55-64 have traditionally been ages at which many Alaskans begin to move south. These age groups have continued to grow throughout the 1980s. By 1990, there were about 54,442 persons 45-54 and 29,645 persons 55-64 in the state. In general, middle aged Alaskans were more willing to stay in Alaska during the 1980s than in prior decades.

The 1990 estimate of the number of persons 65 years old or over is 22,459. Considering the size of the population currently 55-64, the number of senior Alaskans is likely to continue to increase rapidly in coming years. The estimate suggests a

Table 1.10

PERSONS IN HOUSEHOLDS AND GROUP QUARTERS, 1990, 1980

	Total persons 1990	% of all persons	Total persons 1980*	% of all persons	Persons in households with at least 1 person over 65 1990	% of all persons over 65	% of household types occupied by persons 65+ 1990
Total persons	550,043	100.0	401,851	100.0	22,369	100.0	4.1
Total persons in households	529,342	96.2	385,608	96.0	21,173	94.7	4.0
Family households	454,726	82.7			14,806	66.2	
Nonfamily households	74,616	13.6			6,367	28.5	
Householder living alone	41,826	7.6	26,467	6.6	5,737	25.6	
Total persons in group quarters	20,701	3.8	16,243	4.0	1,196	5.3	5.8
Institutionalized persons	4,574	0.8	2,165	0.5	1,102	4.9	24.1
Correctional institutions	2,630	0.5	484	0.1			
Nursing homes	1,202	0.2	854	0.2			
Mental(Psychiatric) institutions	22	0.0	239	0.1			
Juvenile institutions	386	0.1					
Other institutions	334	0.1	588	0.1			
Other persons in group quarters	16,127	2.9	14,095	3.5	94	0.4	0.6
College dormitories	1,310	0.2	1,371	0.3			
Military quarters	8,807	1.6	9,443	2.3			
Emergency shelters for homeless	447	0.1					
Visible in street locations	79	0.0					
Other noninstitutional group quarters	5,484	1.0	3,316	0.8			

* Group Quarters by type estimated from 100% and Sample Data.

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Source: U.S. Census of Population and Housing, 1990,1980.

94.5% increase in older Alaskans since 1980, one of the largest percentage increases in the population over 65 of any state. Alaska also has one of the smallest proportions of persons over 65 (4.1%) in the nation.

Median Age

The population in Alaska is younger than the national average. Further, the Alaska Native population is much younger than the White population because of its high fertility rate. The 1989 median age in the United States was 31.5 for males and 33.8 for females. The 1990 median age for males in Alaska was 28.5 and the median age for females was 28.4 years. This was an increase of 2.2 and 2.7 years respectively since 1980.

Voting Age Population

According to the April 1, 1990 census, the voting age population was 377,699. Whites made up 294,308 (77.9%), Alaska Natives 50,945 (13.5%), Blacks 14,553 (3.9%), Asian & Pacific Islanders 13,491 (3.6%) and Other Races 4,402 (1.2%). Ethnicity is separate from race. Many persons who list themselves as Other Races are of Hispanic Origin. In 1990 there were 11,048 voting-aged persons of Hispanic Origin. This number is equivalent to 2.9% of the voting age population. Although Alaska purges voter registrations every two years, areas with high turnover may contain up to 20% more registered voters than residents due to turnover.

Table 1.11
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE, 1990, 1980

	Total households 1990	% of all households	Total households 1980	% of all households	Households with at least 1 person over 65 1990	% of all households with at least 1 person over 65	% of household types occupied by persons 65+ 1990
Total households	188,915	100.0	131,463	100.0	16,809	100.0	8.9
Family households	132,837	70.3	95,564	72.7	10,571	62.9	8.0
Married-couple families	106,079	56.2	80,344	61.1			
with children *	64,720	34.3	50,577	38.5			
Other families	26,758	14.2	15,220	11.6			
Male householder	8,529	4.5	4,948	3.8			
with children *	5,749	3.0	2,810	2.1			
Female householder	18,229	9.6	10,272	7.8			
with children *	14,625	7.7	7,973	6.1			
Nonfamily households	56,078	29.7	35,899	27.3	6,238	37.1	11.1
Householder living alone	41,826	22.1	26,467	20.1	5,737	34.1	13.7
Two or more persons	14,252	7.5	9,432	7.2	501	3.0	3.5

* 1990: with related children; 1980: with own children under 18.

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Source: U.S. Census of Population and Houseing, 1990,1980.

Dependency

Dependency ratios show how large a burden of support is placed on the working age population by the young and old segments of the population. In 1990, statewide every 100 persons of working age supported 48.5 children and 6.3 persons over 65. In 1980, every 100 persons of working age supported 50.4 children and 4.4 persons over 65.

Sex Composition

In April of 1990, an estimated 260,176 persons, or 47.3% of Alaska's population, were female compared to 51.2% female for the United States in 1989. Traditionally, a high ratio of males to females has been associated with the American frontier. The myth that Alaska has substantially more men than women continues to be perpetuated in the popular press. A few Alaskan communities tend to be more heavily male because employment may be transient or concentrated in occupations which have traditionally employed mostly males. Most communities, however, have sex ratios more in line with the rest of the nation. The presence of military installations, logging, fishing, or mining operations are the main sources of distortion for the sex ratio in the state. The young age of the population also increases the overall male proportion slightly. Older populations have more women because of the greater life expectancy among women at older ages.

The highest sex ratios by age in 1990 occurred among groups aged 40-44, 45-49, and 50-54. The sex ratios were 124 (that is 124 men for every 100 women), 121 and 121, respectively.

Table 1.12
MARITAL STATUS, 1990, 1980

	1990			1980			Change 1980-90		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Persons 15 years and over	400,231	212,540	187,691	293,577	157,338	136,239	106,654	55,202	51,452
Never married	108,765	67,827	40,938	85,228	53,423	31,805	23,537	14,404	9,133
Now married, except separated	226,701	115,839	110,862	170,705	87,025	83,680	55,996	28,814	27,182
Separated	8,601	4,146	4,455	5,115	2,495	2,620	3,486	1,651	1,835
Widowed	11,623	2,541	9,082	7,594	1,834	5,760	4,029	707	3,322
Divorced	44,541	22,187	22,354	24,935	12,561	12,374	19,606	9,626	9,980
% Distribution									
Persons 15 years and over									
Never married	27.2	31.9	21.8	29.0	34.0	23.3	-1.9	-2.0	-1.5
Now married, except separated	56.6	54.5	59.1	58.1	55.3	61.4	-1.5	-0.8	-2.4
Separated	2.1	2.0	2.4	1.7	1.6	1.9	0.4	0.4	0.5
Widowed	2.9	1.2	4.8	2.6	1.2	4.2	0.3	0.0	0.6
Divorced	11.1	10.4	11.9	8.5	8.0	9.1	2.6	2.5	2.8

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Source: U.S. Census of Population and Housing, 1990, 1980.

Housing Units and Households

The census counts all persons as living either in households or group quarters. A household occupies a housing unit. The census definition of a housing unit is a house, an apartment, a group of rooms or a single room intended as separate living quarters. Boats, tents, vans, and caves are included if they are occupied as a usual place of residence. Vacant mobile homes are included provided they are intended for occupancy on the site where they stand. Seasonal residences, forest service cabins, or vacant cabins which are habitable are included in the inventory. In 1990, the census counted some 232,608 housing units in Alaska, 188,915 of which were occupied, 43,693 vacant. In 1980, the census counted 162,825 housing units, 131,463 of which were occupied and 31,362 vacant. This indicates an increase of 69,783 during the decade or a growth of 42.9% in housing units. The number of occupied housing units or households in Alaska increased by 57,452 or 43.7% during the decade. The vacancy rate for 1990 declined to 18.8% compared to 19.3% in 1980. Since the population of the state grew by 36.9% during the decade, housing and household growth outstripped the growth of population. Following the national trend, the number of persons per household in Alaska declined by 0.13 persons from 2.93 in 1980 to 2.80 in 1990. During the same period, the U.S. persons per household declined by 0.12 persons from 2.75 in 1980 to 2.63 in 1990.

Households

Persons in households and counts of households appear in Tables 1.10 and 1.11. Some 529,342 persons lived in 188,915 households in Alaska in 1990. Of the population, 454,726 persons or 82.7% lived in 132,837 family households. That is, in a household containing a householder and one or more persons related by birth or marriage. Not all households contain families. A household may also be composed of a group of unrelated individuals or one person living alone. The remaining 74,616 persons, 13.6% of all persons, lived in 56,078 nonfamily households. Overall, 70.3% of all households were family households and 29.7% were nonfamily households.

Family households can be further broken into husband-wife, male-headed and female-headed households. A married couple household is a family in which the householder and spouse are counted as members of the same household. Male and female headed households consist of a single adult head and at least one younger or older dependent.

Older Alaskans

In 1990, there were 22,369 persons over 65 living in 16,809 households with at least one person over 65. Of these people, the majority, 14,806 (66.2%), were in 10,571 family households. Almost three out of ten older Alaskans (6,357) lived in 6,238 nonfamily households. Most nonfamily households (5,727 households) contained a person over 65 living alone. In 1990, the occupant lived alone in 34.1% of all households with at least one person over 65. The remaining 501 households contained two or more unrelated individuals sharing a residence. Households containing older Alaskans accounted for 8.9% of all Alaska households in 1990, and 13.7% of all households containing persons living alone. 25.6% of all older Alaskans lived alone. In 1990, 1,196 persons over 65 lived in group quarters, 1,102 of them in institutions. Of all institutionalized persons in Alaska, 24% were over 65.

Group Quarters Populations

Group quarters are living quarters shared by ten or more unrelated persons.These include correctional institutions, nursing homes, mental (psychiatric) institutions, juvenile institutions, college dorms, military barracks, homeless shelters, persons living on the street, commercial ships, military and Coast Guard ships, and remote work sites, cannery or lumber camp dorms. In 1990, there were 20,701 persons or 3.8% of the population living in group quarters in Alaska. This compares to 16,260 or 4.1% in 1980. The remaining 96.2% of the 1990 population lived in households. Institutionalized persons increased by 2,409 persons or 111.3% between 1980 and 1990 in the state. Ninety percent of this increase is accounted for by the growth of prison inmates during the decade. Most of the remainder is accounted for by the increase in nursing home populations. Noninstitutional group quarters populations have experienced only modest growth (14.4%) during the decade.

Of these group quarters college dorms and military barracks have been stable or declined while ships and work site dorms have grown.

For the first time, the Census Bureau released information related to the homeless. It does not purport to be a complete count of the homeless. However, during the 1990 census, 447 persons were counted in emergency shelters for the homeless and another 79 persons were counted as visible in street locations.

Marital Status

In 1990, 226,701 persons or 56.6% of the population 15 and over were currently married and not separated. The currently married declined from 58.1% in 1980. Marital statistics only tell current marital status, so that divorced or widowed persons who have remarried are listed as currently married. The total proportion never married also declined from 29.0% in 1980 to 27.2% in 1990. Some 8,601 or 2.1% of persons were separated, an increase of 68.2% up from 1.7% in 1980. The largest increase was in persons currently divorced. In 1990, 44,541 persons or 11.1% of all persons 15 and older were currently divorced, up from only 8.5% in 1980. The number of persons currently divorced increased 78.6%, twice as fast as the growth of the state's population. As the population has aged, the number and proportion of the population widowed has also increased. The number of widowed increased 53.1% to 11,623 in 1990. The statistics on changing marital status, along with the increasing proportion of persons living alone confirm the continuing decline in traditional families in Alaska and the U.S.

CHAPTER 2

POPULATION TRENDS

FOR ALASKA BOROUGHS & CENSUS AREAS

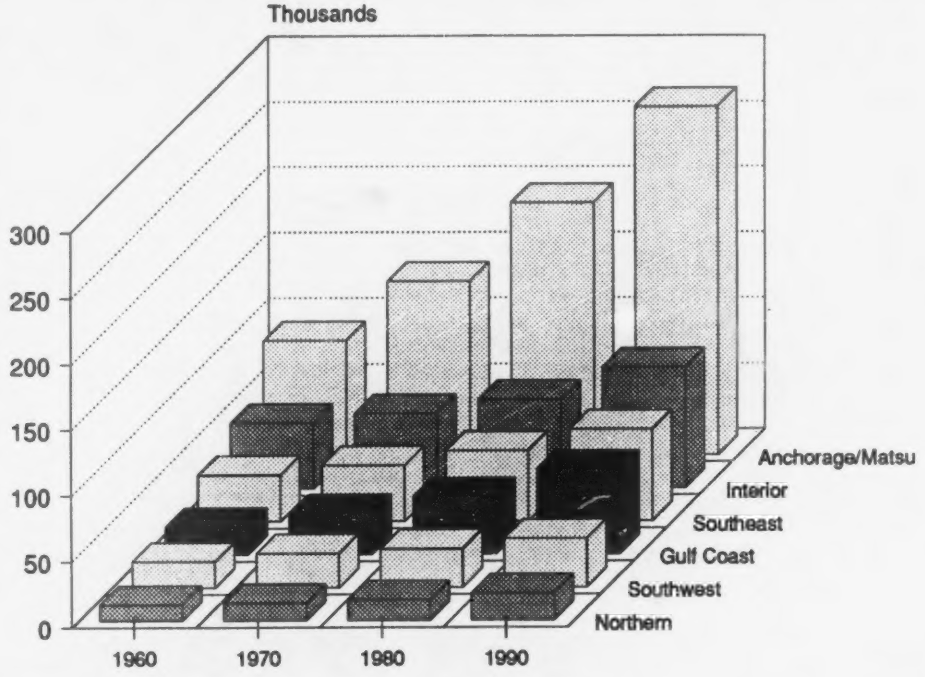
Introduction

Unlike the rest of the United States which is entirely organized into counties, Alaska still remains predominately unorganized. At the time of the 1990 Census, there were 14 boroughs which were equivalent to county governments in the rest of the U.S. Three of these boroughs, Anchorage, Juneau and Sitka, were city/boroughs which have the equivalent of city/county governments. Miami/Dade county in Florida and Oklahoma city/county are examples of this type of government. The other boroughs were Aleutians East Borough, Bristol Bay Borough, Fairbanks North Star Borough, Haines Borough, Kenai Peninsula Borough, Ketchikan Gateway Borough, Kodiak Island Borough, Lake and Peninsula Borough, Matanuska-Susitna Borough, North Slope Borough, and Northwest Arctic Borough. Since the census, one additional borough (Denali Borough, incorporated December 7, 1990) has been formed out of part of the Koyukuk-Middle Yukon Census Subarea of Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area. Each of these boroughs has independent, incorporated communities within its boundaries.

There is not a direct correspondence between all of the borough and census area boundaries of 1980 and 1990. The boundaries of the Northwest Arctic Borough correspond to Northwest Arctic Native Association boundaries and include the 3,298 square miles of land transferred from North Slope Borough. No population was involved in this land transfer, so the historical series is still 100% compatible with the Kobuk Census Area and North Slope Borough for 1980 onward. Aleutians East Borough and Aleutians West Census Area were formed out of the 1980 Aleutian Island Census Area and a small area of land transferred from Dillingham Census Area which contained no people. Similarly, Lake and Peninsula Borough and the 1990 Dillingham Census Area were formed out of the 1980 Dillingham Census Area. At the time of its formation a segment of the Dillingham Census Area containing 22 housing units, but no population was annexed to the Kodiak Island Borough. In addition, a segment of the northern most part of the 1980 Dillingham Census Area was transferred to the Aniak Census Subarea of the Bethel Census Area. This segment contained no population or housing units. The Denali Borough was formed out of the Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area and includes Denali National Park and all communities on the Parks Highway between Anderson and the Matanuska-Susitna border. These communities are Cantwell, McKinley Park, Healy, Anderson, Ferry and Lignite. The Borough also includes a small portion of Southeast Fairbanks Census Area which may hold a few scattered individuals. Due to the recent formation of the Denali Borough, no recount of the 1990 Census to certify a 1990 population for the Borough has yet been made. The population estimate of Denali Borough for April 1, 1990 was approximately 1,750 persons.

Figure 2.1

POPULATION BY LABOR MARKET REGION, 1960-1990



Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

The remaining unorganized territory was divided into 11 census areas for enumeration by the U.S. Census Bureau. While these are only statistical units, they are widely recognized by all federal and most state agencies as county equivalents for Alaska. Some program service areas, however, have different geography. While not universal, many of the boundaries of the census areas tend to follow native regional corporation boundaries. The reader may refer to the maps that accompany the place estimates in Chapter 4 of this publication for help in identifying borough and census area boundaries of Alaska.

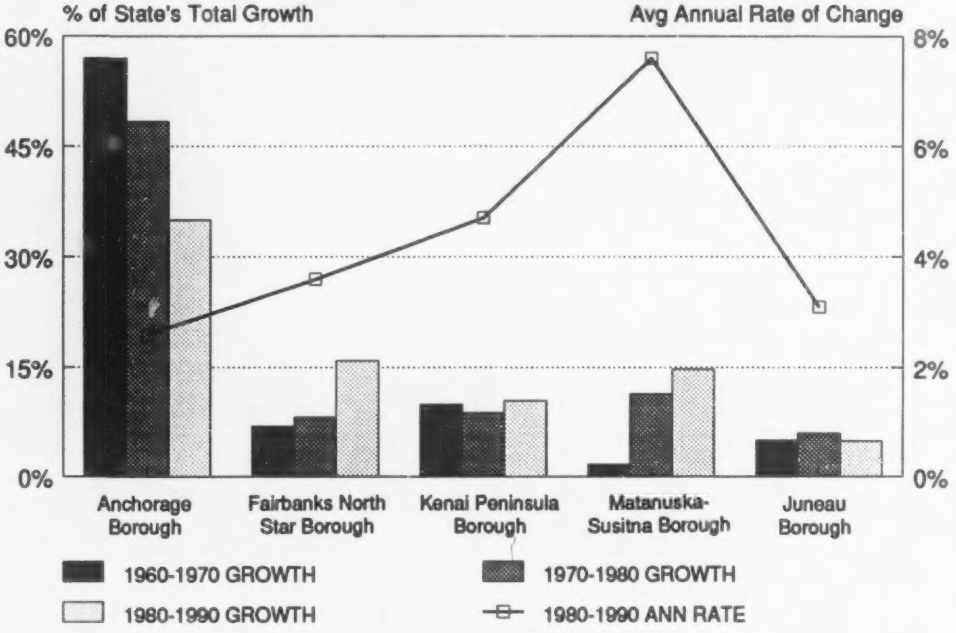
Borough and Census Area Population Trends 1960-1990

Alaska's population grew by 323,876 persons between April 1, 1960 and April 1, 1990, an increase of 143.2% in thirty years. The state's population increased by 148,192 or 36.9% during the past decade. Much of this growth has been in urban and suburban areas of the state.

In 1990, 226,338 persons, or 41.1% (Table 2.1) of Alaska's population lived in the Municipality of Anchorage. The five largest boroughs or census areas were Anchorage Borough, Fairbanks North Star Borough (77,720), Kenai Peninsula Borough (40,802), Matanuska-Susitna Borough (39,683), and Juneau Borough (26,751). These contained 74.8% of Alaska's population in 1990 compared to 72.4% in 1980. The remainder of the state contained an estimated 138,749 persons in 1990.

From July 1960 to April 1990, five areas accounted for 81.5% of the state's growth: Anchorage Borough (+143,505 or 173.2% increase), Fairbanks North Star Borough (+37,104 or 91.4% increase), Matanuska-Susitna Borough (+34,495 or 664.9% in-

Figure 2.2
GROWTH TRENDS OF THE TOP FIVE POPULATION AREAS 1960-1990



Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

crease), Kenai Peninsula Borough (+31,749 or 350.7% increase), and Juneau Borough (+17,037 or 175.4% increase). The total aggregate growth for these boroughs was an increase of 263,890 or 179.0%. Growth has been somewhat slower, but still rapid by national standards in the balance of the state which grew by 59,986, or a 76.2% increase between April of 1960 and April of 1990.

Figure 2.2 illustrates growth trends in the five largest population areas over the past three decades. Growth is shown as a percentage change in the area's share of the state's total growth. For each of the past three decades, Anchorage received a smaller share of the state's total growth each decade. Although the population increased by 178,000 from 1960-1990, Anchorage's portion of the state's growth declined from 57.0% in 1960-70 to 35.0% in 1980-1990. Two areas, Fairbanks North Star Borough and Matanuska-Susitna Borough, experienced a marked increase in their share while Kenai Peninsula Borough and Juneau Borough basically maintained their shares over the periods. Growth rate was strongest during 1980-1990 in Matanuska-Susitna Borough which experienced an average annual rate of change of 7.6%, almost three times the rate of Anchorage (2.6%).

Housing Unit and Household Counts

The Census Bureau has also released 1990 information on housing units, households and group quarters for Alaska by census area and place.

Housing Unit Change

As shown in Table 2.3, the number of occupied households in Alaska was esti-

Table 2.1
BOROUGH AND CENSUS AREA POPULATION ESTIMATES BY LABOR MARKET REGION, 1960-1990

	April 1 Count				Change April 1			Average Annual Rate of Change		
	1990	1980	1970	1960	1980 to April 1 1990	1970 to April 1 1990	1960 to April 1 1990	1980-90	1970-90	1960-90
STATE OF ALASKA	550,043	401,851	302,583	226,167	148,192	247,460	323,876	3.11	2.90	2.78
Anchorage/Matanuska-Susitna Region	266,021	192,247	132,894	88,021	73,774	133,127	178,000	3.22	3.34	3.35
Anchorage Borough	226,338	174,431	126,385	82,833	51,907	99,953	143,505	2.59	2.83	3.09
Matanuska-Susitna Borough	39,683	17,816	6,509	5,188	21,867	33,174	34,495	7.61	7.18	5.13
Gulf Coast Region	64,063	43,569	30,972	20,830	20,494	33,091	43,233	3.81	3.48	3.40
Kenai Peninsula Borough	40,802	25,282	16,586	9,053	15,520	24,216	31,749	4.70	4.22	4.25
Kodiak Island Borough	13,309	9,939	9,409	7,174	3,370	3,900	6,135	2.90	1.72	2.00
Valdez-Cordova Census Area	9,952	8,348	4,977	4,603	1,604	4,975	5,349	1.75	3.33	2.45
Interior Region	92,111	67,532	57,217	50,141	24,579	34,894	41,970	3.08	2.34	1.97
Fairbanks North Star Borough	77,720	53,983	45,864	40,616	23,737	31,856	37,104	3.60	2.58	2.09
Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	5,913	5,676	4,308	2,926	237	1,605	2,987	0.41	1.57	2.25
Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	8,478	7,873	7,045	6,599	605	1,433	1,879	0.74	0.92	0.83
Northern Region	20,380	15,567	13,248	12,008	4,813	7,132	8,372	2.68	2.12	1.72
Nome Census Area	8,288	6,537	5,749	6,091	1,751	2,539	2,197	2.36	1.81	1.02
North Slope Borough	5,979	4,199	3,451	2,681	1,780	2,528	3,298	3.50	2.68	2.54
Northwest Arctic Borough	6,113	4,831	4,048	3,236	1,282	2,065	2,877	2.34	2.03	2.05
Southeast Region	68,989	53,794	42,565	35,403	15,195	26,424	33,586	2.48	2.37	2.14
Haines Borough	2,117	1,680	1,401	792	437	716	1,325	2.30	2.04	3.04
Juneau Borough	26,751	19,528	13,556	9,714	7,223	13,195	17,037	3.12	3.27	3.11
Ketchikan Gateway Borough	13,828	11,316	10,041	8,774	2,512	3,787	5,054	2.00	1.59	1.49
Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	6,278	3,822	3,782	3,068	2,456	2,496	3,210	4.86	2.46	2.29
Sitka Borough	8,588	7,803	6,073	6,250	785	2,515	2,338	0.96	1.72	1.05
Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	4,385	3,478	2,792	2,642	907	1,593	1,743	2.31	2.22	1.65
Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area	7,042	6,167	4,920	4,163	875	2,122	2,879	1.32	1.77	1.71
Southwest Region	38,479	29,142	25,687	19,764	9,337	12,792	18,715	2.76	1.99	2.14
Aleutian Islands Census Area	11,942	7,768	7,834	5,517	4,174	4,108	6,425	4.24	2.08	2.45
Aleutians East Borough	2,464	1,643	1,301	-	821	1,163	-	4.00	3.09	n.a.
Aleutians West C.A.	9,478	6,125	6,533	-	3,353	2,945	-	4.30	1.84	n.a.
Bethel Census Area	13,656	10,999	8,917	6,601	2,657	4,739	7,055	2.16	2.10	2.32
Bristol Bay Borough	1,410	1,094	1,147	831	316	263	579	2.52	1.03	1.72
Dillingham Census Area	5,680	4,616	3,872	3,687	1,064	1,808	1,993	2.07	1.89	1.42
Dillingham Census Area	4,012	3,232	2,510	-	780	1,502	-	2.15	2.30	n.a.
Lake & Peninsula Borough	1,668	1,384	1,362	-	284	306	-	1.86	1.01	n.a.
Wade Hampton Census Area	5,791	4,665	3,917	3,128	1,126	1,874	2,663	2.15	1.93	1.99

Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research and Analysis, Demographics Unit.

mated as 188,915. The number of persons per household declined slightly from 2.93 persons in 1980 to 2.80 in 1990. 1990 households ranged in size from 3.4 to 4.2 persons per household in the predominately Native areas of north and west Alaska to 2.6 to 2.7 persons in Anchorage, and some areas of southeast Alaska such as Juneau, Ketchikan-Gateway and Haines boroughs.

Components of Change

Births and Deaths

Births and deaths for census areas and labor market areas appear in Table 2.4. The average birth rate for the state in the 1980-90 period was 24.4 per 1000 population. The highest birth rates were found in the heavily Native areas of the state: Wade Hampton Census Area (37.8), Northwest Arctic Borough (36.2), Lake & Peninsula Borough (33.2), North Slope Borough (32.3), Bethel Census Area (30.8), Dillingham Census Area (30.4), Nome Census Area (30.2). The lowest birth rates were found in areas of southeast Alaska: Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area (18.5), Haines Borough (18.7), Ketchikan Gateway Borough (20.3), Sitka Borough (20.6) and Juneau Borough (21.4). Heavily military and fishing areas such as the Aleutians West Census Area (16.2), Bristol Bay Borough (17.9), and Aleutian Islands East Borough (18.6) also have lower fertility rates.

The average death rate for the state in the 1980-90 period was 4.1 per 1000 population. During the decade, mortality was highest in heavily Native areas of the state: Nome Census Area (7.2), Northwest Arctic Borough (7.1), Lake and Peninsula Borough (7.1), Wade Hampton Census Area (7.0), Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area (6.8), Dillingham Census Area (6.1), Bethel Census Area (5.6), and North Slope Borough (5.5). As these areas also have younger populations, the higher mortality rates are even more noticeable. Areas of the state with older populations also had higher than average death rates during the decade: Ketchikan Gateway Borough (6.1), Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area (5.8), and Sitka Borough (5.5).

The lowest death rates during the decade were found in Aleutians West Census Area (2.0), Anchorage Borough (3.4), Bristol Bay Borough (3.4), Fairbanks North Star Borough (3.6), Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area (4.0), Juneau Borough (4.2), Matanuska-Susitna Borough (4.2), and Southeast Fairbanks Census Area (4.2). Several of these areas have young transient segments of population associated with the military, fishing or timber. It is possible that some death certificates for Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area were erroneously attributed to Ketchikan Gateway Borough.

Migration

Flows of migrants within boroughs and census areas are made up of people coming from or going to other states and people coming from or going to other areas of Alaska. Net flows for the 1980s are shown in Table 2.4. During the 1980s, net migration was greater than natural increase in Matanuska-Susitna Borough, Kenai Peninsula Borough, Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area, Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area and Aleutians East Census Area. The areas which gained the most through net migration during the decade were Anchorage Borough (27,078), Matanuska Susitna Borough (16,006), Kenai Peninsula Borough (9,306), Fairbanks North Star Borough (9,095) and Juneau Borough (5,736).

Nine areas experienced net out-migration during the decade: Southeast Fairbanks Census Area (-1,020), Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area (-932), Wade Hampton Census Area (-483), Sitka Borough (-464), Bethel Census Area (-444), Northwest Arctic Borough (-309), Lake and Peninsula Borough (-118), Dillingham Census Area (-101), and Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area(-99). Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area and Northwest Arctic Borough also experienced net out-migration for the 1970-80 decade.

Population Composition

Race Composition

Tables 2.5 and 2.6 show borough and census area population by race, Hispanic origin, and labor market region.

Since 1980, the number of Alaska Natives increased in all boroughs and census areas

Table 2.2

POPULATION AND GROUP QUARTER COUNTS FOR BOROUGHS & CENSUS AREAS BY LABOR MARKET REGION, 1980, 1990

	April 1, 1990		April 1, 1980		Change in	
Labor Market Area	Population	Census Group Quarters	Population	Census Group Quarters	Population 1980-90	Group Quarters 1980-90
State of Alaska	550,043	20,701	401,851	16,260	148,192	4,441
Anchorage/Matanuska-Susitna Region	266,021	5,590	192,247	5,226	73,774	364
Anchorage Borough	226,338	5,074	174,431	4,848	51,907	226
Matanuska-Susitna Borough	39,683	516	17,816	378	21,867	138
Gulf Coast Region	64,063	2,607	43,569	1,703	20,494	904
Kenai Peninsula Borough	40,802	1,064	25,282	320	15,520	744
Kodiak Island Borough	13,309	955	9,939	681	3,370	274
Valdez-Cordova Census Area	9,952	588	8,348	702	1,604	-114
Interior Region	92,111	4,933	67,532	4,352	24,579	581
Fairbanks North Star Borough	77,720	4,096	53,983	3,339	23,737	757
Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	5,913	270	5,676	399	237	-129
Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	8,478	567	7,873	614	605	-47
Northern Region	20,380	479	15,567	501	4,813	-22
Nome Census Area	8,288	192	6,537	88	1,751	104
North Slope Borough	5,979	221	4,199	365	1,780	-144
Northwest Arctic Borough	6,113	66	4,831	48	1,282	18
Southeast Region	68,989	1,749	53,794	1,418	15,645	331
Haines Borough	2,117	71	1,680	5	437	66
Juneau Borough	26,751	438	19,528	273	7,223	165
Ketchikan Gateway Borough	13,828	252	11,316	332	2,512	-80
Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area	6,278	263	3,822	176	2,456	87
Sitka Borough	8,588	343	7,803	367	785	-24
Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	4,385	204	3,478	92	1,357	112
Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area	7,042	178	6,167	173	875	5
Southwest Region	38,479	5,343	29,142	3,060	9,337	2,283
Aleutians East Borough	2,464	881	1,643	237	821	644
Aleutians West Census Area	9,478	3,913	6,125	2,311	3,353	1,602
Bethel Census Area	13,656	249	10,999	118	2,657	131
Bristol Bay Borough	1,410	268	1,094	339	316	-71
Dillingham Census Area	4,012	4	3,232	0	780	4
Lake & Peninsula Borough	1,668	28	1,384	0	284	28
Wade Hampton Census Area	5,791	0	4,665	55	1,126	-55

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Source: U.S. Census of Population and Housing, 1980, 1990

Table 2.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS FOR BOROUGH AND CENSUS AREA BY LABOR MARKET REGION, 1980, 1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			Change In		
Labor Market Area	Occupied Housing Units	Total Housing Units (Incl. Seasonal)	Persons Per Household 1990	Occupied Housing Units	Total Housing Units (Incl. Seasonal)	Persons Per Household 1980	Total Housing Stock 1980-90	Occupied Housing Units 1980-90	Persons Per Household 1980-90
State of Alaska	188,915	232,608	2.80	131,463	162,825	2.93	57,452	69,783	-0.13
Anchorage/Matanuska-Susitna Region	96,096	115,106	2.71	66,169	80,461	2.83	29,927	34,645	-0.12
Anchorage Borough	82,702	94,153	2.68	60,470	70,363	2.80	22,232	23,790	-0.12
Matanuska-Susitna Borough	13,394	20,953	2.92	5,699	10,098	3.06	7,695	10,855	-0.14
Gulf Coast Region	21,758	29,445	2.82	14,262	19,464	2.94	7,496	9,981	-0.12
Kenai Peninsula Borough	14,250	19,364	2.79	8,546	11,740	2.92	5,704	7,624	-0.13
Kodiak Island Borough	4,083	4,885	3.03	3,027	3,579	3.06	1,056	1,306	-0.03
Valdez-Cordova Census Area	3,425	5,196	2.73	2,689	4,145	2.84	736	1,051	-0.11
Interior Region	31,350	39,871	2.78	22,170	28,350	2.85	9,180	11,521	-0.07
Fairbanks North Star Borough	26,693	31,823	2.76	18,224	22,708	2.78	8,469	9,115	-0.02
Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	1,909	3,149	2.96	1,666	2,450	3.17	243	699	-0.21
Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	2,748	4,899	2.88	2,280	3,192	3.18	468	1,707	-0.30
Northern Region	5,570	7,835	3.57	3,861	5,252	3.90	1,709	2,583	-0.33
Nome Census Area	2,371	3,684	3.41	1,741	2,608	3.70	630	1,076	-0.29
North Slope Borough	1,673	2,153	3.44	980	1,158	3.91	693	995	-0.47
Northwest Arctic Borough	1,526	1,998	3.96	1,140	1,486	4.20	386	512	-0.24
Southeast Region	24,659	28,085	2.75	18,312	20,825	2.86	6,347	7,260	-0.11
Haines Borough	791	1,112	2.59	572	743	2.93	219	369	-0.34
Juneau Borough	9,902	10,638	2.66	7,035	7,656	2.74	2,867	2,982	-0.08
Ketchikan Gateway Borough	5,030	5,463	2.70	3,985	4,431	2.76	1,045	1,032	-0.06
Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area	2,061	2,543	2.92	1,121	1,385	3.25	940	1,158	-0.33
Sitka Borough	2,939	3,222	2.81	2,440	2,694	3.05	499	528	-0.24
Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	1,422	2,102	3.26	1,087	1,553	3.11	335	549	0.15
Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area	2,514	3,005	2.73	2,072	2,363	2.89	442	642	-0.16
Southwest Region	9,482	12,266	3.49	6,686	8,473	3.90	2,796	3,793	-0.41
Aleutians East Borough	533	693	2.97	412	454	3.41	121	239	-0.44
Aleutians West Census Area	1,845	2,051	3.02	1,183	1,250	3.22	662	801	-0.20
Bethel Census Area	3,605	4,362	3.72	2,684	3,297	4.05	921	1,065	-0.33
Bristol Bay Borough	407	596	2.81	246	369	3.07	161	227	-0.26
Dillingham Census Area	1,215	1,691	3.30	834	1,179	3.88	381	512	-0.58
Lake & Peninsula Borough	509	991	3.22	380	751	3.64	129	240	-0.42
Wade Hampton Census Area	1,368	1,882	4.23	947	1,173	4.87	421	709	-0.64

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Source: U.S. Census of Population and Housing, 1980, 1990 as shown in Table 2.6. The largest numerical increases occurred in Anchorage Borough (5,616), Fairbanks North Star Borough (2,343), Bethel Census Area (2,123), Juneau Borough (1,272), Matanuska-Susitna Borough (1,251), Kenai Peninsula Borough (1,197), North Slope Borough (1,111), Northwest Arctic Borough (1,096), Wade Hampton Census Area (1,058), Nome Census Area (974), Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area (707), Dillingham Census Area (494), Ketchikan Gateway Borough (492), Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area (360), and Kodiak Island Borough (242).

More Alaska Natives now live in Anchorage (14,569) than in any other borough or census area. Bethel Census Area which had the largest number of Alaska Natives in 1980 dropped to second place with 11,370. The proportion of Alaska Natives increased during the 1980s in Anchorage Borough, Matanuska-Susitna Borough, Kenai Peninsula Borough, Fairbanks North Star Borough, Southeast Fairbanks Census Area, Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area, Northwest Arctic Borough, Haines Borough, Juneau Borough, Ketchikan Gateway Borough, Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area, and Wade Hampton Census Area. Two phenomena account for the changes in these areas, the gradual urbanization of the Alaska Native population, and higher native fertility. Alaska Natives declined as a proportion of the population in all other census areas.

In 1990, 41,380 or 48.3% of all Alaska Natives still lived in census areas where Natives made up more than half of the population. This percentage declined slightly from 1980 when it was 54.5%. Because of increased out-migration from rural areas, the proportion of the Native population that lived in census areas with less than eight percent Native population grew to 28.9% from 22.4% in 1980. The four boroughs with populations less than eight percent Native in 1990 were Anchorage, Matanuska-Susitna, Fairbanks North Star and Kenai Peninsula Borough.

Geographically, the Alaska Native population has shown only a slight redistribution since 1980. The greatest increase occurred in the Anchorage/Matanuska-Susitna region which contained 15.0% of the Alaska Natives in 1980 and 19.3% in 1990. Proportional declines occurred in the Southwest region (30.3% to 27.5%) and Northern region (19.5% to 19.3%). Specifically, there was an increase in the proportion of all Alaska Natives in Anchorage Borough, Matanuska-Susitna Borough, Kenai Peninsula Borough, Fairbanks North Star Borough, North Slope Borough, Juneau Borough, and Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area. The proportion of the state's total Native population declined in all other regions and census areas. The changing geographic distribution reflects a gradual movement of Alaska Natives from small rural native villages to larger mainly white urban centers. Significantly, the degree of change during this period of general rapid urban growth remained relatively small. These relatively small changes reflect the strong desire of many Alaska Natives to retain traditional styles of life.

Age/Sex Counts

Normally age/sex distributions for boroughs, census area and labor market regions are included in the *Alaska Population Overview*. Because of the timing of the release of the 1990 census, these numbers will be presented in *Alaska Population Projections* which will be available this summer.

Table 2.4

CHARACTERISTICS OF BOROUGHS AND CENSUS AREAS AND COMPONENTS OF CHANGE BY REGION, 1970-1990

			July 1 to July 1							
April 1, Year	End Population	Pop. Change	Births	Rate Per 100 Mid Period Pop.	Deaths	Rate Per 100 Mid Period Pop.	Natural Increase	Net Migrants	Avg. Ann. Rate of Change	% of State Pop. End Date
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA*										Alaska as % of U.S.
1970	203,211,926									0.15
1970-80	226,545,805	23,333,879	33,288,000	15.5	19,295,000	9.0	13,993,000	9,341,000	1.09	0.18
1980-90	248,709,873	22,164,068	36,629,000	15.4	20,682,000	8.7	15,947,000	6,217,000	0.93	0.22
THE STATE OF ALASKA										
1970	302,583									100.00
1970-80	401,851	99,268	77,760	22.1	15,390	4.4	62,370	36,898	2.82	100.00
1980-90	550,043	148,192	115,963	24.4	19,673	4.1	96,290	51,902	3.11	100.00
ANCHORAGE/MATANUSKA-SUSITNA REGION										
1970	132,894									43.92
1970-80	192,247	59,353	36,138	22.2	5,831	3.6	30,307	29,046	3.65	47.84
1980-90	266,021	73,774	54,805	23.9	8,109	3.5	46,696	27,078	3.22	48.36
ANCHORAGE BOROUGH										
1970	126,385									41.77
1970-80	174,431	48,046	33,915	22.5	5,220	3.5	28,695	19,351	3.19	43.41
1980-90	226,338	51,907	47,746	23.8	6,911	3.4	40,835	11,072	2.59	41.15
MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH										
1970	6,509									2.15
1970-80	17,816	11,307	2,223	18.3	611	5.0	1,612	9,695	9.30	4.43
1980-90	39,683	21,867	7,059	24.6	1,198	4.2	5,861	16,006	7.61	7.21
GULF COAST REGION										
1970	30,972									10.24
1970-80	43,569	12,597	7,761	20.8	1,797	4.8	5,964	6,633	3.38	10.84
1980-90	64,063	20,494	12,610	23.4	2,478	4.6	10,132	10,362	3.81	11.65
KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH										
1970	16,586									5.48
1970-80	25,282	8,696	4,133	19.7	947	4.5	3,186	5,510	4.15	6.29
1980-90	40,802	15,520	7,724	23.4	1,510	4.6	6,214	9,306	4.70	7.42
KODIAK ISLAND BOROUGH										
1970	9,409									3.11
1970-80	9,939	530	2,343	24.2	470	4.9	1,873	-1,343	0.55	2.47
1980-90	13,309	3,370	3,042	26.2	533	4.6	2,509	861	2.90	2.42
VALDEZ-CORDOVA CENSUS										
1970	4,977									1.64
1970-80	8,348	3,371	1,285	19.3	380	5.7	905	2,466	5.06	2.08
1980-90	9,952	1,604	1,844	20.2	435	4.8	1,409	195	1.75	1.81
INTERIOR REGION										
1970	57,217									18.91
1970-80	67,532	10,315	15,168	24.3	2,517	4.0	12,651	-2,336	1.65	16.81
1980-90	92,111	24,579	20,560	25.8	3,124	3.9	17,436	7,143	3.08	16.75
FAIRBANKS NORTH STAR BOROUGH										
1970	45,864									15.16
1970-80	53,983	8,119	12,416	24.9	1,813	3.6	10,603	-2,484	1.63	13.43
1980-90	77,720	23,737	16,995	25.8	2,353	3.6	14,642	9,095	3.60	14.13

Table 2.4 (cont.)

CHARACTERISTICS OF BOROUGHS AND CENSUS AREAS AND COMPONENTS OF CHANGE BY REGION, 1970-1990

			July 1 to July 1							
April 1, Year	End Population	Pop. Change	Births	Rate Per 100 Mid Period Pop.	Deaths	Rate Per 100 Mid Period Pop.	Natural Increase	Net Migrants	Avg. Ann. Rate of Change	% of State Pop. End Date
SOUTHEAST FAIRBANKS CENSUS AREA										
1970	4,308									1.42
1970-80	5,676	1,368	1,190	23.8	172	3.4	1,018	350	2.74	1.41
1980-90	5,913	237	1,474	25.4	217	3.7	1,257	-1,020	0.41	1.08
YUKON-KOYUKUK CENSUS AREA										
1970	7,045									2.33
1970-80	7,873	828	1,562	20.9	532	7.1	1,030	-202	1.11	1.96
1980-90	8,478	605	2,091	25.6	554	6.8	1,537	-932	0.74	1.54
NORTHERN REGION										
1970	13,248									4.38
1970-80	15,567	2,319	3,593	24.9	1,046	7.3	2,547	-228	1.61	3.87
1980-90	20,380	4,813	5,857	32.6	1,203	6.7	4,654	159	2.68	3.71
NOME CENSUS AREA										
1970	5,749									1.90
1970-80	6,537	788	1,563	25.4	528	8.6	1,035	-247	1.28	1.63
1980-90	8,288	1,751	2,236	30.2	533	7.2	1,703	48	2.36	1.51
NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH										
1970	3,451									1.14
1970-80	4,199	748	823	21.5	242	6.3	581	167	1.96	1.04
1980-90	5,979	1,780	1,642	32.3	282	5.5	1,360	420	3.50	1.09
NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH										
1970	4,048									1.34
1970-80	4,831	783	1,207	27.2	276	6.2	931	-148	1.77	1.20
1980-90	6,113	1,282	1,979	36.2	388	7.1	1,591	-309	2.34	1.11
SOUTHEAST REGION										
1970	42,565									14.07
1970-80	53,794	11,229	9,180	19.1	2,922	6.1	6,258	4,971	2.33	13.39
1980-90	69,439	15,645	12,753	20.7	3,054	5.0	9,699	5,946	2.54	12.62
HAINES BOROUGH										
1970	1,401									0.46
1970-80	1,680	279	274	17.8	97	6.3	177	102	1.81	0.42
1980-90	2,117	437	355	18.7	79	4.2	276	161	2.30	0.38
JUNEAU BOROUGH										
1970	13,556									4.48
1970-80	19,528	5,972	2,929	17.7	800	4.8	2,129	3,843	3.61	4.86
1980-90	26,751	7,223	4,953	21.4	966	4.2	3,987	3,236	3.12	4.86
KETCHIKAN GATEWAY BOROUGH										
1970	10,041									3.32
1970-80	11,316	1,275	2,154	20.2	752	7.0	1,402	-127	1.19	2.82
1980-90	13,828	2,512	2,556	20.3	765	6.1	1,791	721	2.00	2.51
PRINCE OF WALES-OUTER KETCHIKAN C.A.										
1970	3,782									1.25
1970-80	3,822	40	684	18.0	231	6.1	453	-413	0.11	0.95
1980-90	6,278	2,456	1,080	21.4	201	4.0	879	1,577	4.86	1.14

Table 2.4 (cont.)

CHARACTERISTICS OF BOROUGHS AND CENSUS AREAS AND COMPONENTS OF CHANGE BY REGION, 1970-1990

			July 1 to July 1							
April 1, Year	End Population	Pop. Change	Births	Rate Per 100 Mid Period Pop.	Deaths	Rate Per 100 Mid Period Pop.	Natural Increase	Net Migrants	Avg. Ann. Rate of Change	% of State Pop. End Date
SITKA BOROUGH										
1970	6,073									2.01
1970-80	7,803	1,730	1,344	19.4	380	5.5	964	766	2.49	1.94
1980-90	8,588	785	1,687	20.6	438	5.3	1,249	-464	0.96	1.56
SKAGWAY-YAKUTAT-ANGOON CENSUS AREA										
1970	2,792									0.92
1970-80	3,478	686	659	21.0	261	8.3	398	288	2.19	0.87
1980-90	4,835	1,357	767	18.5	224	5.4	543	814	3.26	0.88
WRANGELL-PETERSBURG CENSUS AREA										
1970	4,920									1.63
1970-80	6,167	1,247	1,136	20.5	401	7.2	735	512	2.25	1.53
1980-90	7,042	875	1,355	20.5	381	5.8	974	-99	1.32	1.28
SOUTHWEST REGION										
1970	25,687									8.49
1970-80	30,785	5,098	5,920	21.0	1,277	4.5	4,643	455	1.01	7.66
1980-90	38,479	7,694	9,378	27.1	1,705	4.9	7,673	21	2.22	7.00
ALEUTIANS EAST BOROUGH										
1970	1,301									0.43
1970-80	1,643	342	281	19.1	80	5.4	201	141	2.32	0.41
1980-90	2,464	821	381	18.6	101	4.9	280	541	4.00	0.45
ALEUTIANS WEST CENSUS AREA										
1970	6,533									2.16
1970-80	7,768	1,235	951	13.3	117	1.6	834	401	1.73	1.93
1980-90	9,478	1,710	1,393	16.2	171	2.0	1,222	488	1.98	1.72
BETHEL CENSUS AREA										
1970	8,917									2.95
1970-80	10,999	2,082	2,451	24.6	549	5.5	1,902	180	2.09	2.74
1980-90	13,656	2,657	3,796	30.8	695	5.6	3,101	-444	2.16	2.48
BRISTOL BAY BOROUGH										
1970	1,147									0.38
1970-80	1,094	-53	152	13.6	45	4.0	107	-160	-0.47	0.27
1980-90	1,410	316	224	17.9	43	3.4	181	135	2.52	0.26
DILLINGHAM CENSUS AREA										
1970	2,510									0.83
1970-80	3,232	722	592	20.6	187	6.5	405	317	2.51	0.80
1980-90	4,012	780	1,102	30.4	221	6.1	881	-101	2.15	0.73
LAKE AND PENINSULA BOROUGH										
1970	1,362									0.45
1970-80	1,384	22	299	21.8	69	5.0	230	-208	0.16	0.34
1980-90	1,668	284	507	33.2	108	7.1	399	-115	1.86	0.30
WADE HAMPTON CENSUS AREA										
1970	3,917									1.29
1970-80	4,665	748	1,194	27.8	230	5.4	964	-216	1.74	1.16
1980-90	5,791	1,126	1,975	37.8	366	7.0	1,609	-483	2.15	1.05

Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research and Analysis, Demographics Unit.

* U.S. Population Estimates and Components of Change: 1980 to 1987, Current Population Report, Series P-25, No. 1023, August 1988.

Table 2.5

POPULATION COUNTS FOR BOROUGHS, CENSUS AREAS AND LABOR MARKET REGION BY RACE AND ETHNICITY, 1980, 1990

	RACE												ETHNICITY	
	April 1, 1990						April 1, 1980						April 1	
Area Name	Census Count	Census White	Census Alaska Native	Census Black	Census Asian & Pacific Islander	Census Other Races	Census Count	Census White	Census Alaska Native	Census Black	Census Asian & Pacific Islander	Census Other Races	1990 Census Hispanic Origin	1980 Census Hispanic Origin
STATE OF ALASKA	550,043	415,492	85,698	22,451	19,728	6,674	401,851	309,728	64,103	13,643	8,054	6,323	17,803	9,507
Anchorage/Matanuska-Susitna Region	266,021	219,665	16,508	14,861	11,207	3,770	192,247	165,494	9,641	9,348	4,104	3,660	10,010	5,446
Anchorage Borough	226,338	182,736	14,569	14,544	10,910	3,579	174,431	148,650	8,953	9,258	4,043	3,527	9,258	5,[illegible]
Matanuska-Susitna Borough	39,683	36,949	1,939	307	297	191	17,816	16,844	688	90	61	133	752	224
Gulf Coast Region	64,063	54,625	6,306	395	2,244	493	43,569	37,060	4,682	171	1,172	484	1,659	860
Kenai Peninsula Borough	40,802	37,069	2,935	203	428	147	25,282	23,099	1,738	41	200	204	726	358
Kodiak Island Borough	13,309	9,289	2,126	135	1,492	267	9,939	7,046	1,884	72	795	142	663	304
Valdez-Cordova Census Area	9,952	8,247	1,245	57	324	79	8,348	6,915	1,060	58	177	138	270	198
Interior Region	92,111	72,005	10,826	5,931	2,131	1,218	67,532	53,872	8,078	3,407	931	1,244	3,158	1,835
Fairbanks North Star Borough	77,720	63,751	5,330	5,553	1,998	1,088	53,983	46,106	2,987	3,006	816	1,068	2,899	1,546
Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	5,913	4,670	770	290	82	101	5,676	4,473	725	284	94	100	177	199
Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	8,478	3,584	4,726	88	51	29	7,873	3,293	4,366	117	21	76	82	90
Northern Region	20,380	4,138	15,693	62	388	99	15,567	2,875	12,512	51	62	67	266	74
Nome Census Area	8,288	2,023	6,148	9	55	53	6,537	1,278	5,174	22	32	31	106	27
North Slope Borough	5,979	1,274	4,336	41	285	43	4,199	914	3,225	22	24	14	124	32
Northwest Arctic Borough	6,113	841	5,209	12	48	3	4,831	683	4,113	7	6	22	36	15
Southeast Region	68,989	53,099	12,631	414	2,151	494	53,794	41,969	9,782	260	1,155	628	1,577	871
Haines Borough	2,117	1,802	279	1	17	18	1,680	1,430	214	3	5	28	27	13
Juneau Borough	26,751	21,570	3,462	292	1,154	273	19,528	16,459	2,190	142	504	233	749	383
Ketchikan Gateway Borough	13,828	11,316	1,898	55	493	66	11,316	9,479	1,406	46	285	100	285	206
Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	6,278	3,859	2,358	9	28	24	3,822	2,080	1,651	11	19	61	121	31
Sitka Borough	8,588	6,359	1,797	30	333	60	7,803	5,768	1,669	44	235	87	209	106
Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon C.A.	4,385	2,649	1,670	7	32	27	3,478	1,941	1,462	5	21	49	67	41
Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area	7,042	5,544	1,367	11	94	26	6,167	4,812	1,190	9	86	70	119	89
Southwest Region	38,479	11,940	23,534	798	1,607	600	29,142	8,458	19,408	406	630	240	1,133	421
Aleutians East Borough	2,464	827	1,042	16	463	116	1,643	619	930	9	62	23	180	37
Aleutians West Census Area	9,478	6,360	1,076	662	979	401	6,125	4,156	1,004	320	518	127	742	260
Bethel Census Area	13,656	2,105	11,370	62	91	28	10,999	1,661	9,247	26	30	35	80	61
Bristol Bay Borough	1,410	894	455	38	12	11	1,094	660	380	47	5	22	33	30
Dillingham Census Area	4,012	1,019	2,925	8	27	33	3,232	783	2,431	1	6	11	49	3
Lake & Peninsula Borough	1,668	389	1,261	0	12	6	1,384	283	1,089	0	1	11	32	20
Wade Hampton Census Area	5,791	346	5,405	12	23	5	4,665	296	4,347	3	8	11	17	10

Source: Alaska Dept. of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

Table 2.6

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION FOR BOROUGHS, CENSUS AREAS AND LABOR MARKET REGION BY RACE AND ETHNICITY, 1980, 1990

	RACE										ETHNICITY	
	April 1, 1990 % of Census Area					April 1, 1980 % of Census Area					April 1 % of Census	
Area Name	Area White	Alaska Native	Area Black	Asian & Pacific Islander	Other Races	Area White	Alaska Native	Area Black	Asian & Pacific Islander	Other Races	1990 Hispanic Origin	1980 Hispanic Origin
STATE OF ALASKA	75.5	15.6	4.1	3.6	1.2	77.1	16.0	3.4	2.0	1.6	3.2	2.4
Anchorage/Matanuska-Susitna Region	82.6	6.2	5.6	4.2	1.4	86.1	5.0	4.9	2.1	1.9	3.8	2.8
Anchorage Borough	80.7	6.4	6.4	4.8	1.6	85.2	5.1	5.3	2.3	2.0	4.1	3.0
Matanuska-Susitna Borough	93.1	4.9	0.8	0.7	0.5	94.5	3.9	0.5	0.3	0.7	1.9	1.3
Gulf Coast Region	85.3	9.8	0.6	3.5	0.8	86.1	10.7	0.4	2.7	1.1	2.6	2.0
Kenai Peninsula Borough	90.9	7.2	0.5	1.0	0.4	91.4	6.9	0.2	0.8	0.8	1.8	1.4
Kodiak Island Borough	69.8	16.0	1.0	11.2	2.0	70.9	19.0	0.7	8.0	1.4	5.0	3.1
Valdez-Cordova Census Area	82.9	12.5	0.6	3.3	0.8	82.8	12.7	0.7	2.1	1.7	2.7	2.4
Interior Region	78.2	11.8	6.4	2.3	1.3	79.8	12.0	5.0	1.4	1.8	3.4	2.7
Fairbanks North Star Borough	82.0	6.9	7.1	2.6	1.4	85.4	5.5	5.6	1.5	2.0	3.7	2.9
Southeast Fairbanks C.A.	79.0	13.0	4.9	1.4	1.7	78.8	12.8	5.0	1.7	1.8	3.0	3.5
Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	42.3	55.7	1.0	0.6	0.3	41.8	55.5	1.5	0.3	1.0	1.0	1.1
Northern Region	20.3	77.0	0.3	1.9	0.5	18.5	80.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	1.3	0.5
Nome Census Area	24.4	74.2	0.1	0.7	0.6	19.6	79.1	0.3	0.5	0.5	1.3	0.4
North Slope Borough	21.3	72.5	0.7	4.8	0.7	21.8	76.8	0.5	0.6	0.3	2.1	0.8
Northwest Arctic Borough	13.8	85.2	0.2	0.8	0.0	14.1	85.1	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.6	0.3
Southeast Region	77.0	18.6	0.6	3.1	0.7	78.0	18.2	0.5	2.1	1.2	2.3	1.6
Haines Borough	85.1	13.2	0.0	0.8	0.9	85.1	12.7	0.2	0.3	1.7	1.3	0.8
Juneau Borough	80.6	12.9	1.1	4.3	1.0	84.3	11.2	0.7	2.6	1.2	2.8	2.0
Ketchikan Gateway Borough	81.8	13.7	0.4	3.6	0.5	83.8	12.4	0.4	2.5	0.9	2.1	1.8
Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	61.5	37.6	0.1	0.4	0.4	54.4	43.2	0.3	0.5	1.6	1.9	0.8
Sitka Borough	74.0	20.9	0.5	3.9	0.7	73.9	21.4	0.6	3.0	1.1	2.4	1.4
Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon C.A.	60.4	38.1	0.2	0.7	0.6	55.8	42.0	0.1	0.6	1.4	1.5	1.2
Wrangell-Petersburg C.A.	78.7	19.4	0.2	1.3	0.4	78.0	19.3	0.1	1.4	1.1	1.7	1.4
Southwest Region	31.0	61.2	2.1	4.2	1.6	29.0	66.6	1.4	2.2	0.8	2.9	1.4
Aleutians East Borough	33.6	42.3	0.6	18.8	4.7	37.7	56.6	0.5	3.8	1.4	7.3	2.3
Aleutians West C.A.	67.1	11.4	7.0	10.3	4.2	67.9	16.4	6.2	8.5	2.1	7.8	4.2
Bethel Census Area	15.4	83.3	0.5	0.7	0.2	15.1	84.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.6
Bristol Bay Borough	63.4	32.3	2.7	0.9	0.8	60.3	32.9	4.3	0.5	2.0	2.3	2.7
Dillingham Census Area	25.4	72.9	0.2	0.7	0.8	24.2	75.2	0.0	0.2	0.3	1.2	0.1
Lake & Peninsula Borough	23.3	75.6	0.0	0.7	0.4	20.4	78.7	0.0	0.1	0.8	1.9	1.4
Wade Hampton Census Area	6.0	93.3	0.2	0.4	0.1	6.3	93.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2

Source: Alaska Dept. of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

CHAPTER 3

COUNTS & ESTIMATES

FOR SPECIAL POPULATIONS & AREAS

Introduction

Estimates for special populations and areas were recently added to the publication. Future issues will be expanded to include other frequently requested special population estimates.

Armed Forces Estimates

The role of Armed Forces' population in Alaska has always been significant in the state's population and population growth. Currently, the overall Armed Forces' population of Alaska is relatively stable. Because of the rapid increase in the civilian population since 1980 and the diversification of the Alaskan economy, the military and dependent populations declined as a proportion of the total population of the state. Estimates for 1990 appear in Table 3.1.

In 1990, there were approximately 24,645 Armed Forces' personnel in Alaska, slightly higher (+8.6%) than in 1980. The proportion of military, however, continued to decline from 5.5% of the state's population in 1980 to 4.5% in 1990. Dependents of Armed Forces' personnel, in 1990, made up another 32,889 persons. This made the proportion of military and dependents in Alaska 10.5% of the state's population, down from 11.9% in 1980. Statewide, military and military dependents have increased by only 8,040 since July 1980. The growth of military and dependents accounted for only about 1.9% of the state's overall increase of 36.9% between April 1980 and April 1990.

When the size of military and dependent populations are considered relative to local nonmilitary populations, some bases play a significant role in local areas. The Adak naval base dominated the Aleutians West Census Area where military and dependents accounted for 53.1% of the population. This military presence increased 51% since 1980.

The military influence of Eielson AFB and Ft. Wainwright in Fairbanks North Star Borough is also significant. Military and dependent populations grew by 6,039 or 47%. In 1990, they accounted for 24% of the residents of the borough, up slightly from 22% in 1980.

Because of the rapid growth of the population of Anchorage over the decade, the relative influence of military and dependents assigned to Elmendorf AFB and Ft. Richardson in the municipality declined. In 1980, military and dependents accounted for 15.2% of the Anchorage population. By 1990, that proportion had declined to 12.1%.

Military and dependents at Fort Greely accounted for some 19.6% of the population of Southeast Fairbanks Census Area in 1990. More specifically, the population of the immediate Delta Junction/Fort Greely area of Southeast Fairbanks remained quite stable at between 3,774 in 1980 to 3,721 in 1990. Cutbacks in military and dependents at Ft. Greely over the decade caused a significant decline of that base's influence in the area from more than 52.3% in 1980 to only 31.1% in 1990.

In Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area, the military played a key role in the communities of Galena and Anderson. The Air Force's role at Galena grew slightly during the decade. It accounted for 35.2% of the population of Galena in 1980 and 37.8% in 1990. Clear AFB accounted for 23.2% of the population of Anderson in 1980, but declined to 18.8% in 1990. Current cuts may lead to a further decline in the role of the military in the Anderson area. The Air Force also played a major, but declining role in Bristol Bay Borough, where the military accounted for 19.9% of the population in 1990, down from 28.7% in 1980.

The local influence of the Coast Guard in Kodiak Island Borough has also been historically significant. The area of the city of Kodiak and its immediate vicinity contained about 11,900 persons in 1990, an increase from about 8,579 in 1980. Coast Guard personnel and their dependents in 1990 accounted for about 20.5% of the local population, down slightly from 24.9% in 1980.

The role of the Air Force in the state at a number of remote sites has declined during the decade as automation and satellites have made old ground stations obsolete.

Legislative House and Senate District Counts

The current House and Senate areas of the Alaska State Legislature were established by the redistricting plan of 1984. Currently, the Governor's Redistricting Board is considering a new redistricting plan to reapportion the Alaska State House and Senate. The 1990 census counts for current districts are shown in Tables 3.2 and 3.3. While 1984 populations used for redistricting purposes were adjusted for military nonresidents, a completely comparable adjustment could not be made with this set of estimates. The adjustment in the 1984 redistricting plan was made using an estimate of the location of off-base military population produced by the Institute of Social and Economic Research. Since these residence patterns may have changed, the only adjustment possible for 1990 was for on-base military nonresidents. It is clear from these counts that the differential growth of the state in the 1980s will require a number of district shifts in the new redistricting plan. The probable size of House Districts in 1990 will be about 13,750 residents if military nonresidents are included and the probable size of Senate Districts will be about 27,500.

Alaska Native Regional Corporation Counts

The 12 Alaska Native Regional Corporations in Alaska established as part of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, include all areas of the state except the Annette Island Reserve, Alaska's only American Indian Reservation. Their boundaries are shown in Figure 3.1. Census counts by race of the populations living within the geographic areas held by the regional corporations are shown in Table 3.4. The counts of Native population living within these regions do not necessarily represent shareholders of these corporations.

During the past decade, the distribution of Native American population relative to the different corporate regions has not changed significantly. Overall, there was a slight decline in the proportion of Alaska Natives in the state and all regions except AHTNA, Chugach, Cook Inlet, NANA, and Sealaska Corporation regions.

Numerically, the largest growth in Native American population within the corporate regions occurred in Cook Inlet (+7,727), Calista (+3,181), Sealaska (+2,798), Doyon (+2,745), Arctic Slope (+1,111), and NANA (+1,096). The large increase in the number of Natives living inside the Cook Inlet Region resulted from the growth of the proportion of Natives living in Anchorage. The remaining regions grew by less than 1,000 each in the 1980-90 period.

School District Estimates

School districts use population estimates for planning purposes. Districts can allocate resources more effectively when they know the magnitude of population change. The populations in Table 3.5 are for total district populations, and not school age populations.

Table 3.1

POPULATION ESTIMATES FOR BOROUGHS AND CENSUS AREAS BY CIVILIAN AND MILITARY STATUS, 1980, 1990

	April 1, 1990 Estimates						April 1, 1980 Census Population			
Boroughs & Census Areas	Census Total	Est. Civilian	Est. Military	% Military	Military & Dependents	% Military & Dependents	Total	Civilian	Military	% Military
The State Of Alaska	550,043	525,398	24,645	4.5	57,534	10.5	401,851	379,848	22,003	5.5
Aleutians East Borough	2,464	2,464	0	0.0	0	0.0	1,643	1,621	22	1.3
Aleutians West Census Area	9,478	6,445	3,033	32.0	5,034	53.1	6,125	3,964	2,161	35.3
Anchorage Borough	226,338	215,163	11,175	4.9	27,486	12.1	174,431	163,517	10,914	6.3
Bethel Census Area	13,656	13,656	0	0.0	0	0.0	10,999	10,945	54	0.5
Bristol Bay Borough	1,410	1,130	280	19.9	280	19.9	1,094	751	343	31.4
Dillingham Census Area	4,012	4,012	0	0.0	0	0.0	3,232	3,231	1	0.0
Fairbanks North Star Borough	77,720	70,070	7,650	9.8	18,795	24.2	53,983	48,824	5,159	9.6
Haines Borough	2,117	2,117	0	0.0	0	0.0	1,680	1,680	0	0.0
Juneau Borough	26,751	26,564	187	0.7	525	2.0	19,528	19,346	182	0.9
Kenai Peninsula Borough	40,802	40,722	80	0.2	179	0.4	25,282	25,208	74	0.3
Ketchikan Gateway Borough	13,828	13,640	188	1.4	454	3.3	11,316	11,103	213	1.9
Kodiak Island Borough	13,309	12,396	913	6.9	2,435	18.3	9,939	9,274	665	6.7
Lake and Peninsula Borough	1,668	1,668	0	0.0	0	0.0	1,384	1,384	0	0.0
Matanuska-Susitna Borough	39,683	39,683	0	0.0	0	0.0	17,816	17,759	57	0.3
Nome Census Area	8,288	8,260	28	0.3	28	0.3	6,537	6,494	43	0.7
North Slope Borough	5,979	5,979	0	0.0	0	0.0	4,199	4,042	157	3.7
Northwest Arctic Borough	6,113	6,113	0	0.0	0	0.0	4,831	4,786	45	0.9
Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	6,278	6,278	0	0.0	0	0.0	3,822	3,822	0	0.0
Sitka Borough	8,588	8,385	203	2.4	461	5.4	7,803	7,581	222	2.8
Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	4,385	4,385	0	0.0	0	0.0	3,478	3,473	5	0.1
Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	5,913	5,556	357	6.0	1,157	19.6	5,676	4,808	868	15.3
Valdez-Cordova Census Area	9,952	9,856	96	1.0	200	2.0	8,348	8,186	162	1.9
Wade Hampton Census Area	5,791	5,791	0	0.0	0	0.0	4,665	4,629	36	0.8
Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area	7,042	7,020	22	0.3	52	0.7	6,167	6,152	15	0.2
Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	8,478	8,045	433	5.1	448	5.3	7,873	7,268	605	7.7

Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

Detailed school age populations by district have not yet been released by the Census Bureau. The number of persons under 18 years of age is available (Table 3.5) and may serve as an approximation of the number of persons potentially served by districts. The proportion of Alaska's population living in each district and the proportion of the population under 18 in each district is also shown.

Table 3.2

POPULATION COUNTS BY HOUSE DISTRICT, 1990

House District	April 1 1990 Population Census	Population per District*	1990 % Difference from Average District Including Military	Adjusted For On-base Military Non-Residents (OBMNR)#	1990 % Difference from Average District Excluding (OBMNR)	1990 Census % Distribution	1984 Reapportionment % Distribution		Representatives 1991-92 Session	Party
The State Of Alaska	550,043	550,043	13,751	511,205	12,780	100.02	100.00			
District 1 Ketchikan-Wrangell-Petersburg	20,043	10,022	-27.1	10,022	-21.6	1.96	2.25	(A)	Robin Taylor	R
		10,021	-27.1	10,021	-21.6	1.96	2.25	(B)	Cheri Davis	R
District 2 Inside Passage	12,914	12,914	-6.1	12,914	1.0	2.53	2.41		Jerry Mackie	D
District 3 Baranof-Chichagof	9,281	9,281	-32.5	9,281	-27.4	1.82	2.29		Ben Grussendorf	D
District 4 Juneau	26,751	13,376	-2.7	13,376	4.7	2.62	2.61	(A)	Bill Hudson	R
		13,375	-2.7	13,375	4.7	2.62	2.61	(B)	Fran Ulmer	D
District 5 Kenai-Cook Inlet	32,413	16,207	17.9	16,207	26.8	3.17	2.60	(A)	Mike Navarre	D
		16,206	17.9	16,206	26.8	3.17	2.60	(B)	Gail Phillips	R
District 6 North Kenai-South Coast	11,874	11,874	-13.7	11,874	-7.1	2.32	2.37		Gene Kubina	D
District 7 South Anchorage-Nikiski	14,397	14,397	4.7	14,397	12.7	2.82	2.59		Jim Zawacki	R
District 8 Campbell-Hillside	29,715	14,858	8.0	14,858	16.3	2.91	2.60	(A)	Betty Bruckman	D
		14,857	8.0	14,857	16.3	2.91	2.60	(B)	Dave Choquette	R
District 9 Turnagain-Sand Lake	28,013	14,007	1.9	14,007	9.6	2.74	2.59	(A)	Loren Leman	R
		14,006	1.9	14,006	9.6	2.74	2.59	(B)	Mark Hanley	R
District 10 Mid-Town	28,182	14,091	2.5	14,091	10.3	2.76	2.46	(A)	Larry Baker	R
		14,091	2.5	14,091	10.3	2.76	2.46	(B)	Kevin "Pat" Parnell	D
District 11 Spenard	19,102	9,551	-30.5	9,551	-25.3	1.87	2.54	(A)	Dave Donley	D
		9,551	-30.5	9,551	-25.3	1.87	2.54	(B)	Max Gruenberg Jr.	D
District 12 Downtown	19,752	9,876	-28.2	9,876	-22.7	1.93	2.53	(A)	Kay Brown	D
		9,876	-28.2	9,876	-22.7	1.93	2.53	(B)	Johnny Ellis	D
District 13 Elmendorf AFB-Mountain View	27,123	13,562	-1.4	7,766	-39.2	1.52	2.59	(A)	David Finkelstein	D
		13,561	-1.4	7,765	-39.2	1.52	2.59	(B)	Terry Martin	R
District 14 South Muldoon	24,266	12,133	-11.8	12,133	-5.1	2.37	2.47	(A)	[illegible] Barnes	R
		12,133	-11.8	12,133	-5.1	2.37	2.47	(B)	[illegible]	D
District 15 Chugiak-Eagle River-Ft. Richardson	39,293	19,647	42.9	13,916	8.9	2.72	2.49	(A)	[illegible]	R
		19,646	42.9	13,915	8.9	2.72	2.49	(B)	[illegible]	R
District 16 Matanuska-Susitna	39,683	19,842	44.3	19,842	55.3	3.88	2.39	(A)	[illegible]	D
		19,841	44.3	19,841	55.2	3.88	2.40	(B)	Ron Larson	D
District 17 Interior Highways	11,028	11,028	-19.8	10,087	-21.1	1.97	2.37		John Gonzales	R
District 18 S.E. Fairbanks N.Star Borough	20,449	20,449	48.7	16,357	28.0	3.20	2.52		Mike Miller	R
District 19 Outer Fairbanks	19,901	19,901	44.7	14,297	11.9	2.80	2.42		Tom Moyer	D
District 20 Fairbanks City	24,262	12,131	-11.8	12,131	-5.1	2.37	2.48	(A)	Bert Sharp	R
		12,131	-11.8	12,131	-5.1	2.37	2.48	(B)	Mark Boyer	D
District 21 West Fairbanks	13,338	13,338	-3.0	13,338	4.4	2.61	2.50		Niilo Koponen	D
District 22 North Slope - Kotzebue	12,092	12,092	-12.1	12,092	-5.4	2.37	2.44		Eileen MacLean	D
District 23 Norton Sound	11,836	11,836	-13.9	11,836	-7.4	2.32	2.54		Richard Foster	D
District 24 Interior Rivers	10,226	10,226	-25.6	10,226	-20.0	2.00	2.58		Georgianna Lincoln	R
District 25 Lower Kuskokwim	11,768	11,768	-14.4	11,768	-7.9	2.30	2.62		Ivan Ivan	D
District 26 Bristol Bay - Aleutians	18,889	18,889	37.4	15,304	19.7	2.99	2.56		George Jacko	D
District 27 Kodiak - East Alaska Peninsula	13,452	13,452	-2.2	11,893	-6.9	2.33	2.59		Cliff Davidson	D

* Not adjusted for military nonresidents.

# Based on 1980 ISER survey. No adjustment is possible for residency of off base military.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

Table 3.3
POPULATION COUNTS BY SENATE DISTRICT, 1990

Senate District		April 1 1990 Population Census	Population per District*	1990 % Difference from Average District Including Military	Adjusted For On-base Military Non-Residents (OBMNR)#	1990 % Difference from Average District Excluding (OBMNR)	1990 Census % Distribution	1984 Reapportionment % Distribution		Senate 1991-92 Session	Party
The State Of Alaska		550,043	550,043	27,502	511,205	25,560	100.00	100.00			
A	HD: 1 (A-B)	20,043	20,043	-27.1	20,043	-21.6	3.92	4.49		Lloyd Jones	R
B	HD: 2, 3	22,195	22,195	-19.3	22,195	-13.2	4.34	4.70		Dick Eliason	R
C	HD: 4 (A-B)	26,751	26,751	-2.7	26,751	4.7	5.23	5.23		Jim Duncan	D
D	HD: 5 (A-B)	32,413	32,413	17.9	32,413	26.8	6.34	5.19		Paul Fischer	R
E (A-B)	HD: 6, 7, 16 (A-B)	65,954	32,977	19.9	32,977	29.0	6.45	4.87	(A)	Jay Kerttula	D
			32,977	19.9	32,977	29.0	6.45	4.87	(B)	Kurt Menard	D
F (A-B)	HD: 8 (A-B), 10 (A-B)	57,897	28,949	5.3	28,949	13.3	5.66	5.06	(A)	Arliss Sturgulewski	R
			28,948	5.3	28,949	13.3	5.66	5.06	(B)	Virginia Collins	R
G (A-B)	HD: 9 (A-B), 11 (A-B)	47,115	23,558	-14.3	23,558	-7.8	4.61	5.13	(A)	Drue Pearce	R
			23,557	-14.3	23,558	-7.8	4.61	5.13	(B)	Pat Rodey	D
H (A-B)	HD: 12 (A-B), 13 (A-B)	46,875	23,438	-14.8	17,641	-31.0	3.45	5.12	(A)	Pat Pourchot	D
			23,437	-14.8	17,641	-31.0	3.45	5.12	(B)	Rick Uehling	R
I (A-B)	HD: 14 (A-B), 15 (A-B)	63,559	31,780	15.6	26,048	1.9	5.10	4.96	(A)	Rick Halford	R
			31,779	15.6	26,047	1.9	5.10	4.96	(B)	Sam Cotten	D
J	HD: 17, 18	31,477	31,477	14.5	26,444	3.5	5.17	4.88		Dick Schultz	R
K (A-B)	HD: 19, 20 (A-B), 21	57,501	28,751	4.5	25,948	1.5	5.08	4.94	(A)	Steve Frank	R
			28,750	4.5	25,947	1.5	5.08	4.94	(B)	Bettye Fahrenkamp	D
L	HD: 22, 23	23,928	23,928	-13.0	23,928	-6.4	4.68	4.98		Albert Adams	D
M	HD: 24, 25	21,994	21,994	-20.0	21,994	-14.0	4.30	5.21		Lyman Hoffman	D
N	HD: 26, 27	32,341	32,341	17.6	27,196	6.4	5.32	5.16		Fred Zharoff	D

* Not adjusted for military nonresidents.

# Based on 1980 ISER survey. No adjustment is possible for residency of off base military.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

Table 3.4

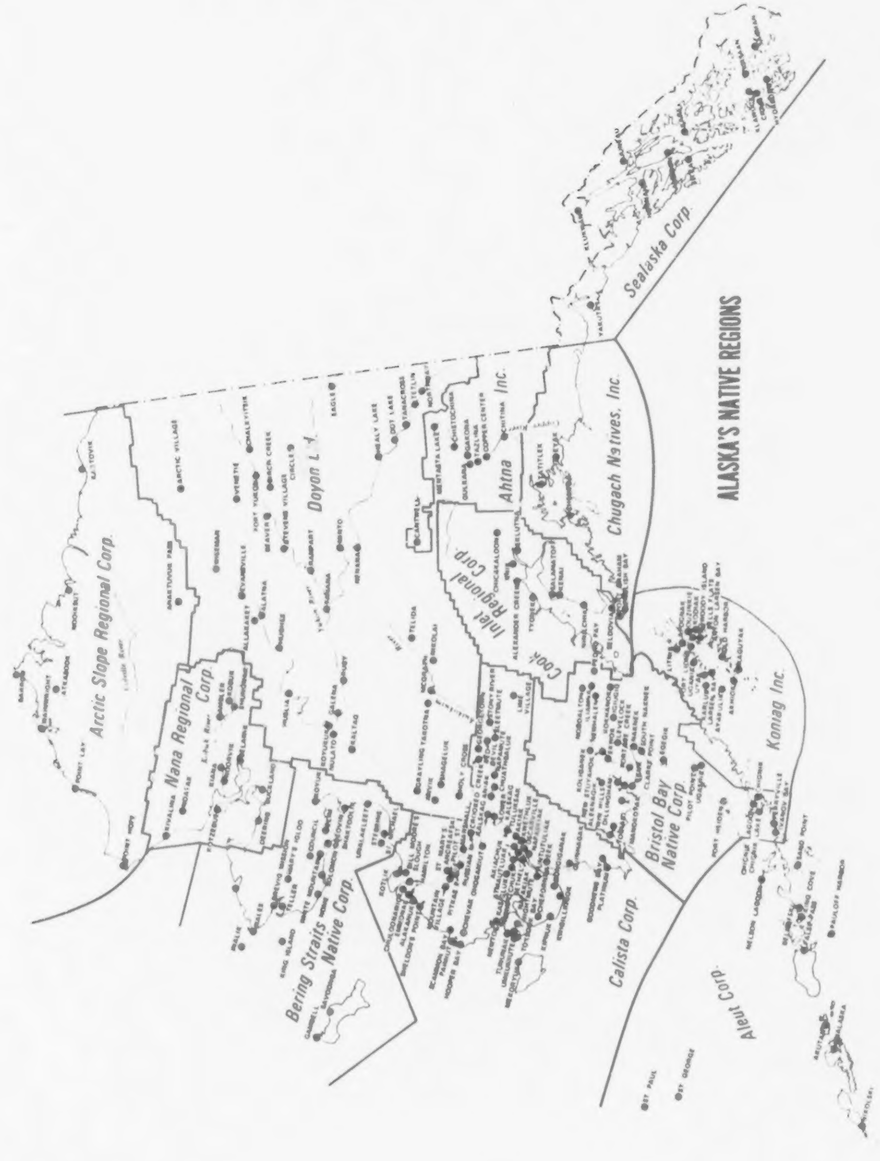
POPULATION COUNTS FOR ALASKA NATIVE REGIONAL CORPORATION AREAS, BY RACE, 1980, 1990

	Race April 1, 1990 Census						Ethnicity	Race April 1, 1980 Census		% Alaska Native 1980	% Alaska Native 1990	Change in Alaska Native 1980-90	Change in % Alaska Native 1980-90
	Total	White	Native	Black	Asian & Pacific Islander	Other Races	Hispanic Origin	Total	Alaska Native				
STATE OF ALASKA	550,043	415,492	85,698	22,451	19,728	6,674	17,803	401,851	64,103	16.0	15.6	21,595	33.7
Alaska Native Regional Corporations	548,574	415,246	84,489	22,448	19,724	6,667	17,765	400,656	63,145	15.8	15.4	21,344	33.8
AHTNA	3,089	2,479	592	8	8	2	49	2,956	549	18.6	19.2	43	7.8
Aleut	11,942	7,187	2,118	678	1,442	517	922	7,768	1,934	24.9	17.7	184	9.5
Arctic Slope	5,979	1,274	4,336	41	285	43	124	4,199	3,225	76.8	71.5	1,111	34.4
Bering Straits	8,288	2,023	6,148	9	55	53	106	6,537	5,174	79.1	74.2	974	18.8
Bristol Bay	7,028	2,245	4,639	46	48	50	114	5,688	3,874	68.1	66.0	765	19.7
Calista	19,447	2,451	16,775	74	114	33	97	15,664	13,594	86.8	86.3	3,181	23.4
Chugach	11,450	9,331	1,550	120	361	88	305	8,436	1,072	12.7	13.5	478	44.6
Cook Inlet	302,473	253,409	18,581	14,984	11,593	3,906	10,653	214,634	10,854	5.1	6.1	7,727	71.2
Doyon	91,936	71,864	10,793	5,930	2,131	1,218	3,157	67,405	8,048	11.9	11.7	2,745	34.1
Koniag	13,309	9,289	2,126	135	1,492	267	663	9,939	1,884	19.0	16.0	242	12.8
NANA	6,113	841	5,209	12	48	3	36	4,831	4,113	85.1	85.2	1,096	26.6
Sealaska	67,520	52,853	11,622	411	2,147	487	1,539	52,599	8,824	16.8	17.2	2,798	31.7
American Indian Reservations													
Annette Island Reserve	1,469	246	1,209	3	4	7	38	1,195	958	80.2	82.3	251	26.2

Source: Alaska Dept of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

Figure 3.1

ALASKA'S NATIVE REGIONAL CORPORATIONS


ALASKA'S NATIVE REGIONS
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Bristol Bay Native Corp.
Calista Corp.
Koniag Inc.
Aleut Corp.

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Table 3.5

POPULATION ESTIMATES FOR ALASKA SCHOOL DISTRICTS, 1980, 1990

School District Estimates	1990 Census Under 18	April 1 1990 Census	April 1 1980 Census	Change 1980-1990	% Change 1980-1990	% of State 1990 Population	% of State 1990 Under 18
THE STATE OF ALASKA	172,344	550,043	401,851	148,192	36.9	100.00	100.00
Adak Region Schools	1,238	4,633	3,315	1,318	39.8	0.84	0.72
Alaska Gateway Schools	664	2,021	1,882	139	7.4	0.37	0.39
Aleutians East Borough Schools	547	2,464	1,643	821	50.0	0.45	0.32
Aleutian Chain Region Schools	37	855	779	76	9.8	0.16	0.02
Anchorage Schools	66,688	226,338	174,431	51,907	29.8	41.15	38.69
Annette Island Schools	546	1,469	1,195	274	22.9	0.27	0.32
Bering Strait Schools	1,985	4,714	3,949	765	19.4	0.86	1.15
Bristol Bay Borough Schools	382	1,410	1,094	316	28.9	0.26	0.22
Chatham Schools	492	1,362	902	460	51.0	0.25	0.29
Chugach Schools	231	839	622	217	34.9	0.15	0.13
Copper River Schools	837	2,632	2,617	15	0.6	0.48	0.49
Cordova City Schools	630	2,282	1,926	356	18.5	0.41	0.37
Craig City Schools	430	1,260	527	733	139.1	0.23	0.25
Delta/Greely Schools	1,484	4,026	3,898	128	3.3	0.73	0.86
Dillingham City Schools	717	2,032	1,563	469	30.0	0.37	0.42
Fairbanks North Star Borough Schools	24,337	77,720	53,983	23,737	44.0	14.13	14.12
Galena City Schools	199	833	765	68	8.9	0.15	0.12
Haines Borough Schools	645	2,246	1,815	431	23.7	0.41	0.37
Hoonah City Schools	390	1,088	893	195	21.8	0.20	0.23
Hydaburg City Schools	136	384	298	86	28.9	0.07	0.08
Iditarod Area Schools	617	1,492	1,439	53	3.7	0.27	0.36
Juneau City Schools	7,850	26,751	19,528	7,223	37.0	4.86	4.55
Kake City Schools	263	725	686	39	5.7	0.13	0.15
Kashunamiut School District	287	598	466	132	28.3	0.11	0.17
Kenai Peninsula Borough Schools	13,396	40,802	25,282	15,520	61.4	7.42	7.77
Ketchikan Gateway Borough Schools	4,122	13,828	11,316	2,512	22.2	2.51	2.39
Klawock City Schools	231	722	318	404	127.0	0.13	0.13
Kodiak Island Borough Schools	4,131	13,309	9,939	3,370	33.9	2.42	2.40
Kuspuk Schools	602	1,487	1,154	333	28.9	0.27	0.35
Lake and Peninsula Schools	634	1,668	1,384	284	20.5	0.30	0.37
Lower Kuskokwim Schools	4,319	11,226	9,117	2,109	23.1	2.04	2.51
Lower Yukon Schools	2,188	4,752	3,817	935	24.5	0.86	1.27
Matanuska-Susitna Borough Schools	14,013	39,683	17,816	21,867	122.7	7.21	8.13
Nenana City Schools	226	596	683	-87	-12.7	0.11	0.13
Nome City Schools	1,190	3,574	2,588	986	38.1	0.65	0.69
North Slope Borough Schools	2,238	5,979	4,199	1,780	42.4	1.09	1.30
Northwest Arctic Schools	2,632	6,113	4,831	1,282	26.5	1.11	1.53
Pelican City Schools	52	222	180	42	23.3	0.04	0.03
Petersburg City Schools	1,021	3,339	2,920	419	14.3	0.61	0.59
Pribilof Schools	250	901	709	192	27.1	0.16	0.15
Railbelt School District/Denali Borough	509	1,749	1,447	302	20.9	0.32	0.30
Saint Marys School District	179	441	382	59	15.4	0.08	0.10
Sitka Borough Schools	2,635	8,588	7,803	785	10.1	1.56	1.53
Skagway City Schools	191	692	814	-122	-15.0	0.13	0.11
Southeast Island Schools	830	2,971	1,784	1,187	66.5	0.54	0.48
Southwest Region Schools	787	1,980	1,669	311	18.6	0.36	0.46
Tanana Schools	125	345	388	-43	-11.1	0.06	0.07
Unalaska City Schools	358	3,089	1,322	1,767	133.7	0.56	0.21
Valdez City Schools	1,166	4,068	3,079	989	32.1	0.74	0.68
Wrangell City Schools	771	2,538	2,184	354	16.2	0.46	0.45
Yakutat City Schools	211	705	554	151	27.3	0.13	0.12
Yukon Flats Schools	560	1,536	1,353	183	13.5	0.28	0.32
Yukon/Koyukuk Schools	734	1,966	1,872	94	5.0	0.36	0.43
Yupiit Schools	394	901	654	247	37.8	0.16	0.23
CANADA							
British Columbia School District #88	17	99	77	22	28.6	0.02	0.01

Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

CHAPTER 4

POPULATION, HOUSING UNIT & RACE COUNTS
FOR PLACES

Introduction

This section contains counts of population and housing for April 1, 1990 and 1980. These are presented for all incorporated places, census designated places (CDPs), Alaska Native Village Statistical Areas (ANVSAs) and the rural balances of both census areas and census subareas (CSAs). Counts for places are presented in two forms, by census area and alphabetically. The alphabetical listing also includes places ranked by size in 1990 and 1980 as well as cities ranked by size in 1990. These counts are found in Tables 4.2 , 4.3, 4.4 and 4.5, respectively.

A wide variety of information is presented for communities for both 1980 and 1990. This includes population, group quarters, persons per household, population change 1980-90, total, occupied and vacant housing units, land and water area, population density, persons 18+, and population by race and Hispanic origin.

Characteristics of Places

Changes in the population for places observed between 1980 and 1990 may result from changes in geography. While it insures that the geography is comparable for 1980 and 1990 for boroughs and census areas, it cannot insure comparable place level geography for counts. Places may show population change as a result of real change or a change in the boundaries of the community. In the case of cities, this can be through annexation. In the case of Census Designated Places and Alaska Native Village Statistical Areas, all boundaries for 1990 are different from 1980 but may include the same basic population.

While general maps for places are included here, detailed paper and machine readable maps of Alaska showing place boundaries, roads, and major hydrography are available as part of the Census Bureau's Topologically Integrated Geographic Encoding and Referencing (TIGER) mapping. While too new to include in this publication, TIGER maps will improve the ability to display census and estimates information beginning in the next year.

Table 4.1

ALASKA URBAN AND RURAL POPULATION COUNTS BY RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN, 1990

Place	Number of Places	April 1 1990 Census	%	White	%	Black	%	American Indian Eskimo & Aleut	%	Asian and Pacific Islander	%	Other and Unknown Races	%	Hispanic Origin Ethnicity	%
THE STATE OF ALASKA	329	550,043	100.0	415,492	100.0	22,451	100.0	85,698	100.0	19,728	100.0	6,674	100.0	17,803	100.0
Urban	24	382,646	69.6	300,857	72.4	20,805	92.7	37,656	43.9	17,577	89.1	5,751	86.2	14,791	83.1
50,000 and over	1	226,338	41.1	182,736	44.0	14,544	64.8	14,569	17.0	10,910	55.3	3,579	53.6	9,258	52.0
10,000-49,999	3	68,843	12.5	53,365	12.8	4,579	20.4	7,242	8.5	2,588	13.1	1,069	16.0	2,690	15.1
5,000- 9,999	5	34,794	6.3	26,738	6.4	813	3.6	4,487	5.2	2,266	11.5	490	7.3	1,275	7.2
2,500- 4,999	15	52,671	9.6	38,018	9.2	869	3.9	11,358	13.3	1,813	9.2	613	9.2	1,568	8.8
Rural		167,397	30.4	114,635	27.6	1,646	7.3	48,042	56.1	2,151	10.9	923	13.8	3,012	16.9
Rural Places	305	94,997	17.3	48,752	11.7	807	3.6	43,584	50.9	1,281	6.5	573	8.6	1,652	9.3
1,000-2,499	14	24,473	4.4	19,409	4.7	400	1.8	4,005	4.7	451	2.3	208	3.1	655	3.7
500- 999	42	27,728	5.0	13,035	3.1	347	1.5	13,577	15.8	525	2.7	244	3.7	568	3.2
250- 499	67	23,808	4.3	8,745	2.1	27	0.1	14,775	17.2	217	1.1	44	0.7	215	1.2
100- 249	84	13,664	2.5	4,612	1.1	17	0.1	8,907	10.4	66	0.3	62	0.9	158	0.9
Under 100	98	5,324	1.0	2,951	0.7	16	0.1	2,320	2.7	22	0.1	15	0.2	56	0.3
Outside Places		72,400	13.2	65,883	15.9	839	3.7	4,458	5.2	870	4.4	350	5.2	1,360	7.6

Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research & Analysis, Demographics Unit.

Cities

As of January of 1990, there were 152 incorporated cities in Alaska. In 1990, 19 cities were considered urban (2,500 or greater) by U.S. Census Bureau definition. These cities in 1990 rank order are listed below:

1990 Rank	1980 Rank		1990 Population	1980 Population
1.	1.	Anchorage city/borough	226,338	174,431
2.	2.	Fairbanks city	30,843	22,645
3.	3.	Juneau city/borough	26,751	19,528
4.	4.	Sitka city/borough	8,588	7,803
5.	5.	Ketchikan city	8,263	7,198
6.	6.	Kodiak city	6,365	4,756
7.	7.	Kenai city	6,327	4,324
8.	8.	Bethel city	4,674	3,576
9.	9.	Valdez city	4,068	3,079
10.	21.	Wasilla city	4,028	1,559
11.	14.	Homer city	3,660	2,209
12.	11.	Nome city	3,500	2,544
13.	12.	Soldotna city	3,482	2,320
14.	13.	Barrow city	3,469	2,267
15.	10.	Petersburg city	3,207	2,821
16.	22.	Unalaska city	3,089	1,322
17.	16.	Palmer city	2,866	2,141
18.	17.	Kotzebue city	2,751	2,054
19.	19.	Seward city	2,699	1,843

Cities with 1990 populations between 1,000 and 2,500 were Wrangell (2,479), Cordova (2,110), Dillingham (2,017), North Pole (1,456), Craig (1,260), Haines (1,238), and Sand Point (1,087)

Census Designated Places

An additional 163 unincorporated communities qualified as census designated places (CDPs) in 1990. To qualify as a CDP, a place must have a community character, 25 or more persons residing in it at the time of the 1990 census, and it must have been recognized as possibly fitting this definition in 1986 when the Census Bureau began planning the 1990 census.

Since CDPs have no incorporated boundaries, the limit of the settled area in 1990 was defined according to geographic features such as streams, roads or ridges which encompass the settled area. These definitions may be similar to the 1980 boundaries which did not follow geographic features but usually circled the settled area. In Alaska, most small isolated communities had few if any persons living near, but not in the place. In areas such as Matanuska-Susitna, Kenai and similar densely settled areas, the boundaries for CDPs may be substantially different from the 1980 definition.

Alaska had several large CDPs which were bigger than many of its incorporated cities and would meet the Census Bureau definition of urban places: College (11,249), Eielson Air Force Base (5,251) in Fairbanks North Star Borough; Adak Station (4,633) in Aleutians West Census Area; Sterling (3,802) and Nikiski (2,743) in Kenai Peninsula Borough. Several others had populations between 1000 and 2,500: Meadows Lakes (2,374), Butte (2,039) and Big Lake (1,477) are in Matanuska-Susitna Borough; Kodiak Station (2,025) in Kodiak Island Borough; Ridgeway (2,018) and Fritz Creek (1,426) are in Kenai Peninsula Borough; Metlakatla (1,407) in Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area; and Fort Greely (1,147) in Southeast Fairbanks Census Area. Such places are ripe for annexation or incorporation.

There were a number of communities which became CDPs for the first time in 1990:

Aleutians West Census Area: Amchitka (25)

Fairbanks North Star Borough: Pleasant Valley (401)

Haines Borough: Covenant Life (47), Lutak (45), Mosquito Lake (80)

Kenai Peninsula Borough: Cohoe (508), Crown Point (62), Fox River (382), Happy Valley (309), Nikolaevsk (371), Primrose (63), Ridgeway (2,018)

Kodiak Island Borough: Chiniak (69), Women's Bay (620)

Lake and Peninsula Borough: Port Alsworth (55)

Matanuska-Susitna Borough: Chase (38), Chickaloon (145), Knik (272), Lazy Mountain (838), Meadow Lakes (2,374), Skwentna (85), Trapper Creek (296)

Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area: Dora Bay (57), Edna Bay (86), Hollis (111), Labouchere Bay (149), Long Island (198), Naukati Bay (93), Polk Inlet (135), Port Alice (30), Port Protection (62)

Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area: Cube Cove (156), Freshwater Bay (68), Hobart Bay (187), Game Creek (61), Whitestone Logging Camp (164)

Southeast Fairbanks Census Area: Alcan (27), Dry Creek (106), Northway Junction (108)

Valdez-Cordova Census Area: Copperville (163), Kenny Lake (423), McCarthy (25), Mendaltna (37), Chenega (97)

Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area: Rowan Bay (133), St John's Harbor (69)

Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area: Ferry (56), Lake Minchumina (32), Lignite (99), and Circle Hot Springs Station (29).

Due to a census error, Shemya Station CDP was not included in the preliminary census statistics. It is not yet known if this error will be corrected in 1990 census publications.

In addition, there were several 1980 Census Designated Places which were not ANVSAs and which were dropped from the 1990 census either at the request of a borough or because their populations fell below the minimum of 25:

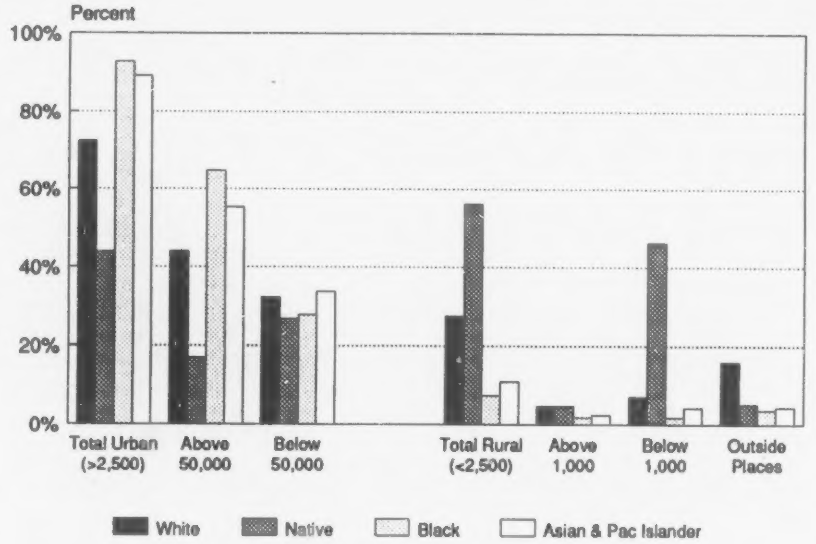
Aleutians West Census Area: Attu

Bethel Census Area: Sparrehvohn Station, Cape Newenham

Fairbanks North Star Borough: Big Horn, Murphy Dome

Figure 4.1

CONCENTRATION BY RACE FOR URBAN AND RURAL PLACES, 1990



Source: Alaska Department of Labor, Research and Analysis, Demographics Unit.

Kenai Peninsula Borough: Portage Creek
Ketchikan Gateway Borough: Clover Pass, Herring Cove, Ketchikan East, Mountain Point, North Tongass Highway, Pennock Island, Saxman East
Matanuska-Susitna Borough: Montana
North Slope Borough: Cape Lisburne
Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area: Cape Pole
Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area: Campion Station, Indian Mountain, Suntrana, Usibelli Mine, Tatalina Station.

Alaska Native Villages

The Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act identified 209 Alaska Native Villages (ANV). Populations were first reported for these in the 1980 Census. At the time of the 1990 census there were 217 Alaska Native Village Statistical Areas (ANVSA). Most of these villages are contiguous with cities or CDPs in the state. The concept of Alaska Native Village Statistical Area (ANVSA) for 1990 is somewhat different than in 1980. In 1980, the boundaries of most Alaska Native Villages corresponded to city or census designated place boundaries. For 1990, the Census Bureau asked village councils to define the boundaries of the ANVSAs. In many cases, these continue to correspond to city or census designated place boundaries. In other cases, they do not correspond. Thus, the 1990 ANVSAs may differ from other community boundaries and they may differ from the ANV boundaries as defined in 1980. Boundaries established for ANVSAs are for statistical purposes only and have no legal status.

According to the U.S. Census Bureau, in only one case did a village council define an ANVSA to be vastly larger than the local community area. The native village of Ninilchik defined the boundary of the

ANVSA to include all of the Kenai Peninsula south of the community of Ninilchik to Kachemak Bay. This includes the communities of Ninilchik, Anchor Point, Nikolaevsk, Homer, Kachemak, and Fritz Creek as well as suburban areas along the highway and around Homer. The resulting data for Ninilchik ANVSA is useless and misleading for almost all statistical purposes. A substitution of Census Designated Place information for Ninilchik ANVSA data is recommended where an accurate portrait of the character of the community of Ninilchik is needed.

In the tables, there are specific indications where 1990 ANVSA boundaries are different from city or CDP boundaries. No attempt has been made, however, to show differences from 1980 ANV boundaries. Between 1980 and 1990 a few zero population native villages were dropped; a few others with very small or zero populations were added. In addition, a few communities which were cities or CDPs but not ANVs in 1980 became ANVSAs in 1990.

There were a few Alaska Native Village Statistical Areas (ANVSAs) which should have become CDPs in 1990, but did not because they were not identified as possible CDPs in 1986. These included Grouse Creek Group (580), Tazlina (247), Alexander (40), and Wiseman (33). The lack of CDP status does not diminish the 1990 census information available for these communities.

Unorganized Territory

A total of 247,986 square miles of land and 45,351 square miles of water in Alaska lies outside of any incorporated city or borough. This area amounts to 61% of the state's land area. At the time of the census, 24,547 persons or 4.5% of the population of Alaska lived in these areas. The number of persons living in these same areas totaled 19,999 in 1980 and accounted for 5.0% of the population. About 80% of the persons living in areas with no city or borough governments, lived in communities. The number of persons that lived outside of CDPs or ANVSAs and beyond the purview of any government other than the State of Alaska was 4,842 or about 0.9% of the state's population in 1990. About 37% of these lived in Southeast Fairbanks Census Area (primarily around Delta Junction), 18% in Valdez-Cordova Census Area (primarily in the Copper River Valley area), and 12% along the Parks Highway in Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area.

Map Legend

━━	City
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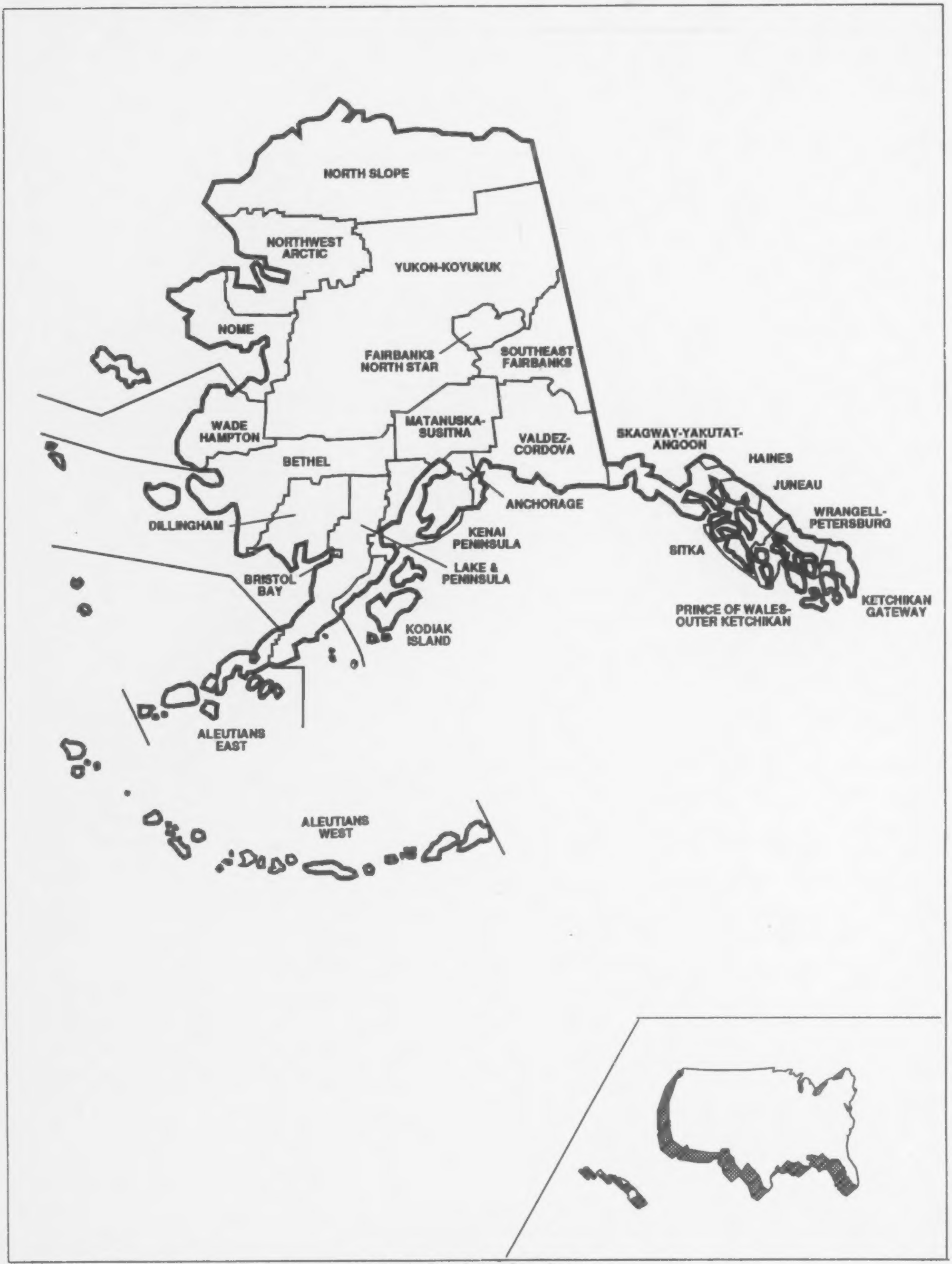
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NOME
FAIRBANKS NORTH STAR
SOUTHEAST FAIRBANKS
MATANUSKA-SUSITNA
VALDEZ-CORDOVA
WADE HAMPTON
SKAGWAY-YAKUTAT-ANGOON
BETHEL
HAINES
ANCHORAGE
JUNEAU
DILLINGHAM
WRANGELL-PETERSBURG
KENAI PENINSULA
SITKA
LAKE & PENINSULA
BRISTOL BAY
KETCHIKAN GATEWAY
PRINCE OF WALES-OUTER KETCHIKAN
KODIAK ISLAND
ALEUTIANS EAST
ALEUTIANS WEST

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year of Statehood	Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Population Change 1980-90
THE STATE OF ALASKA	1959	550,043	20,701	2.80	401,851	16,260	2.93	148,192

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980					
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	April 1 1990 Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
THE STATE OF ALASKA	232,608	188,915	43,693	162,825	131,463	31,362	0.96	570,373.6	86,050.6

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
THE STATE OF ALASKA	550,043	377,699	415,492	85,698	22,451	19,728	6,674	17,803

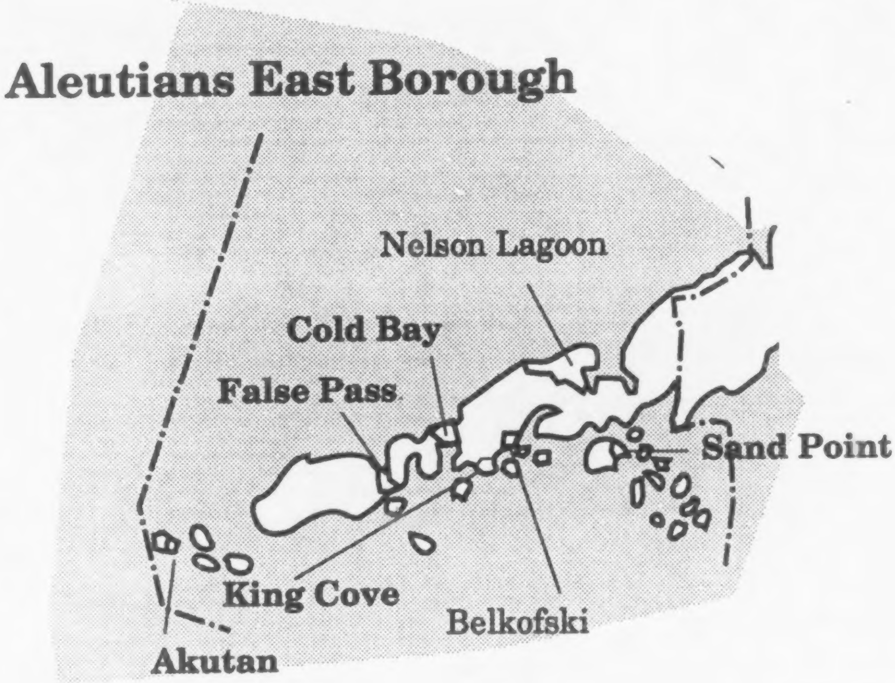
Aleutians East Borough
Nelson Lagoon
Cold Bay
False Pass
Sand Point
King Cove
Belkofski
Akutan

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorp- orated	Census Popu- lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Popu- lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu- lation Change 1980-90
ALEUTIANS EAST BOROUGH	1988	2,464	881	2.97	1,643	237	3.41	821
Akutan city *	1979	589	501	2.84	169	100	4.06	420
Ships in Port		187	187	-	-	-	-	-
Belkofski *		0	0	0.00	10	0	3.33	-10
Cold Bay city	1982	148	2	2.70	192	88	2.12	-44
False Pass city *	1990	68	0	2.96	70	0	3.33	-2
King Cove city *	1947	451	189	2.98	460	1	4.03	-9
Nelson Lagoon CDP *		83	0	2.68	59	0	3.28	24
Sand Point city *	1978	878	189	2.85	625	48	3.10	253
Balance of Aleutians East Borough		247	0	3.86	58	0	14.50	189

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
ALEUTIANS EAST BOROUGH	693	533	160	454	412	42	0.35	6,984.8	8,027.0
Akutan city *	34	31	3	19	17	2	43.46	13.6	4.6
Ships in Port	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Belkofski *	4	0	4	10	3	7	0.00	2.2	0.9
Cold Bay city	73	54	19	49	49	0	2.55	58.0	21.9
False Pass city *	36	23	13	21	21	0	4.60	14.8	2.4
King Cove city *	127	88	39	134	114	20	155.04	2.9	2.0
Nelson Lagoon CDP *	35	31	4	21	18	3	0.34	245.1	196.6
Sand Point city *	272	242	30	191	186	5	113.65	7.7	0.7
Balance of Aleutians East Borough	112	64	48	9	4	5	0.04	6,640.6	7,797.9

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
ALEUTIANS EAST BOROUGH	2,464	1,917	827	1,042	16	463	116	180
Akutan city *	589	559	227	80	6	247	29	45
Ships in Port	187	186	144	4	3	25	11	16
Belkofski *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cold Bay city	148	104	137	8	0	2	1	1
False Pass city *	68	40	16	52	0	0	0	3
King Cove city *	451	364	127	177	6	125	16	53
Nelson Lagoon CDP *	83	60	16	67	0	0	0	0
Sand Point city *	878	651	284	433	4	87	70	78
Balance of Aleutians East Borough	247	139	20	225	0	2	0	0

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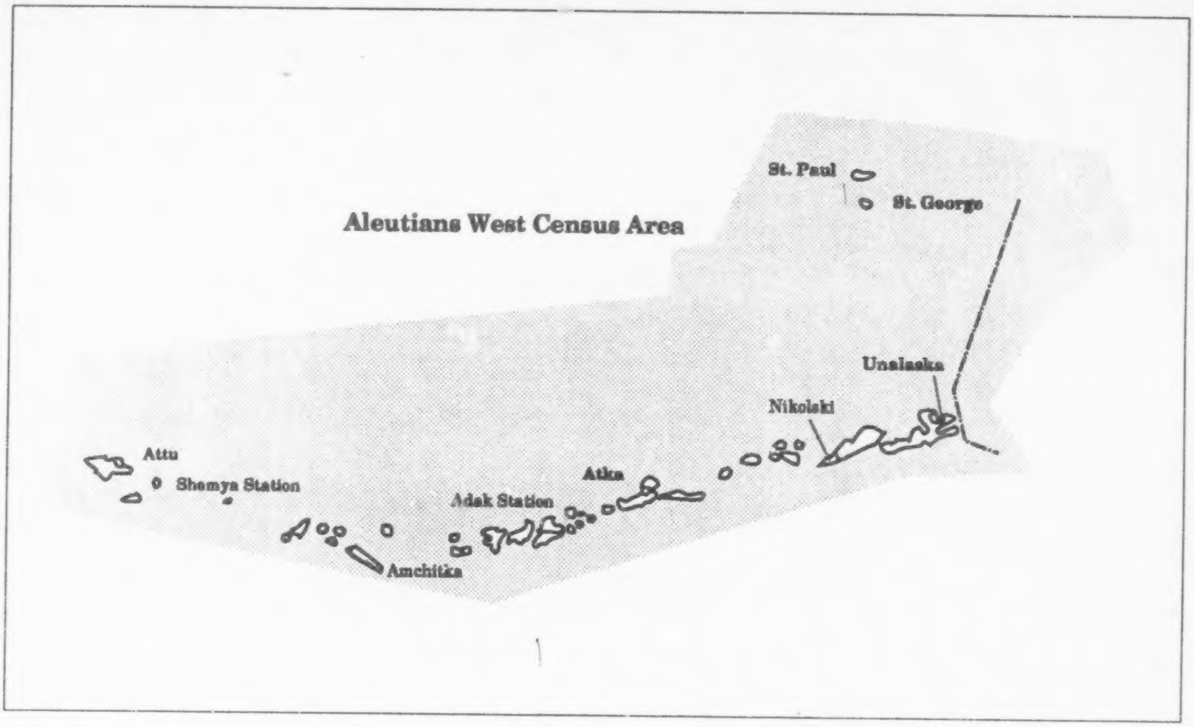
Aleutians West Census Area
St. Paul
St. George
Unalaska
Nikolski
Atka
Adak Station
Attu
Shemya Station
Amchitka

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorporated	Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Population Change 1980-90
ALEUTIANS WEST CENSUS AREA		9,478	3,913	3.02	6,125	2,311	3.22	3,353
Adak Station CDP		4,633	1,391	3.18	3,315	1,056	3.39	1,318
Amchitka CDP		25	25	-	-	-	-	-
Atka *		98	0	3.27	93	0	4.23	5
Atka city	1988	73	0	3.65	93	0	4.23	-20
Attu		23	23	-	29	29	-	-6
Nikolski CDP *		35	0	1.84	50	0	2.17	-15
Shemya Station CDP		664	664	-	600	600	-	64
St. George city	1983	138	0	3.07	158	0	3.95	-20
St. George *		138	0	3.07	158	0	3.95	-20
St. Paul city	1971	763	196	3.68	551	24	4.18	212
St. Paul *		763	196	3.68	551	24	4.18	212
Ships in Port		79	79	-	-	-	-	-
Unalaska City	1942	3,089	1,614	2.57	1,322	600	2.38	1,767
Unalaska *		3,089	1,614	2.57	1,322	600	2.38	1,767
Ships in Port		980	980	-	-	-	-	-
Balance of Aleutians West C.A.		10	0	3.33	7	2	2.50	3

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
ALEUTIANS WEST C.A.	2,051	1,845	206	1,250	1,183	67	2.15	4,402.1	9,712.6
Adak Station CDP	1,051	1,019	32	666	666	0	37.87	122.3	4.9
Amchitka CDP	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.22	115.8	161.2
Atka *	41	30	11	22	22	0	0.97	100.7	77.7
Atka city	26	20	6	22	22	0	7.95	9.2	27.0
Attu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.16	144.0	0.0
Nikolski CDP *	26	19	7	28	23	5	0.40	88.4	116.0
Shemya Station CDP	0	0	0	0	0	0	230.81	2.9	0.0
St. George city	67	45	22	45	40	5	3.96	34.9	26.6
St. George *	67	45	22	45	40	5	3.96	34.9	90.9
St. Paul city	177	154	23	137	126	11	18.87	40.4	255.2
St. Paul *	177	154	23	137	126	11	19.03	40.1	1.7
Ships in Port	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unalaska City	682	575	107	323	304	19	29.62	104.3	111.4
Unalaska *	675	575	100	323	304	19	264.37	11.7	8.4
Ships in Port	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance of Aleutians West C.A.	7	3	4	29	2	27	0.00	3,648.4	8,959.6

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
ALEUTIANS WEST CENSUS AREA	9,478	7,595	6,360	1,076	662	979	401	742
Adak Station CDP	4,633	3,395	3,655	55	501	331	91	255
Amchitka CDP	25	25	22	2	1	0	0	1
Atka *	98	68	7	91	0	0	0	0
Atka city	73	48	6	67	0	0	0	0
Attu	23	23	19	0	3	0	1	2
Nikolski CDP *	35	28	6	29	0	0	0	0
Shemya Station CDP	664	664	555	3	82	11	13	28
St. George city	138	84	7	131	0	0	0	0
St. George *	138	84	7	131	0	0	0	0
St. Paul city	763	567	164	504	12	44	39	62
St. Paul *	763	567	164	504	12	44	39	62
Ships in Port	79	79	48	2	8	7	14	18
Unalaska City	3,089	2,731	1,917	259	63	593	257	394
Unalaska *	3,089	2,731	1,917	259	63	593	257	394
Ships in Port	901	899	506	17	39	212	127	181
Balance of Aleutians West C.A.	10	10	8	2	0	0	0	0

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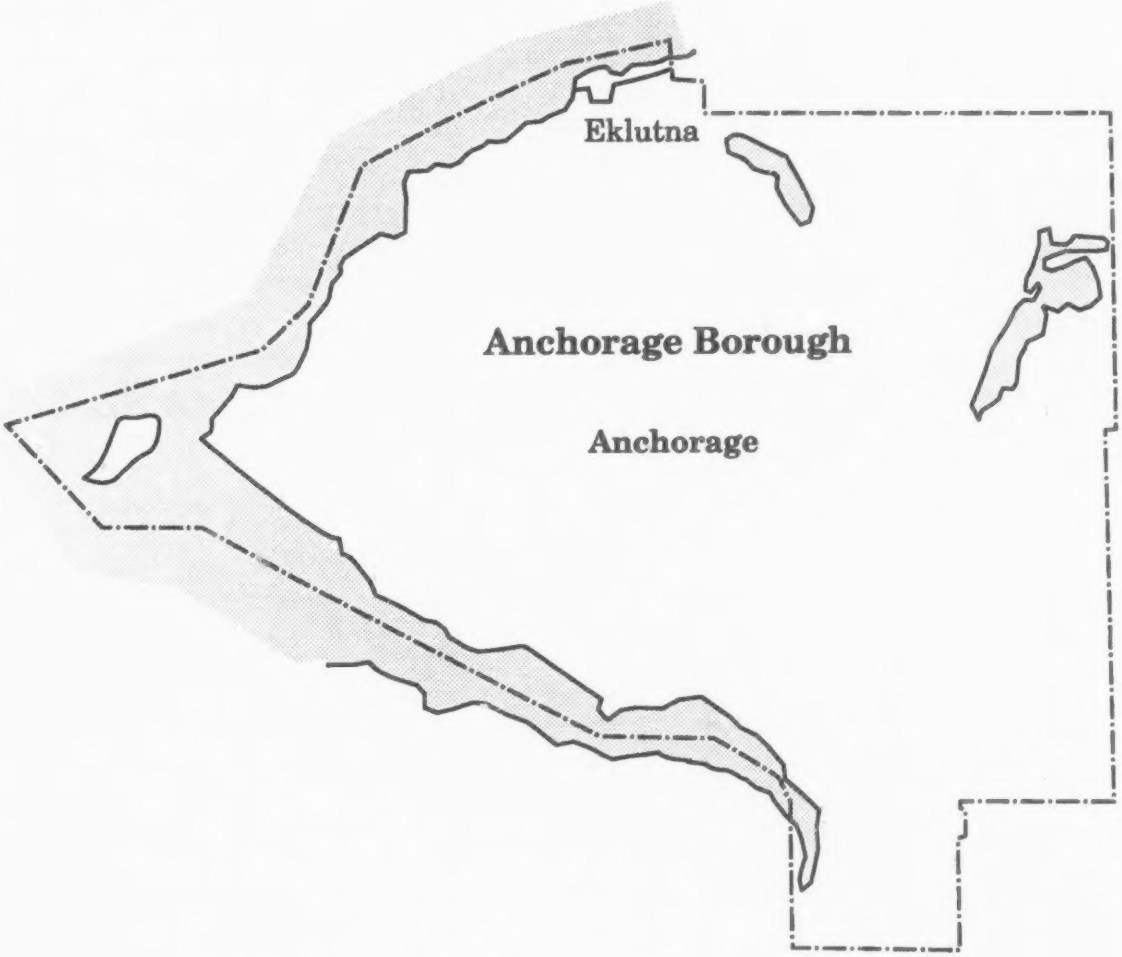
Eklutna
Anchorage Borough
Anchorage

Table 4.2

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		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorp-orated	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu-lation Change 1980-90
ANCHORAGE BOROUGH	1964/1975	226,338	5,074	2.68	174,431	4,848	2.80	51,907
Anchorage city		226,338	5,074	2.68	174,431	4,848	2.80	51,907
Ships in Port		5	5	-	66	66	-	-61
Eklutna *		381	0	3.10	65	0	2.83	316

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
ANCHORAGE BOROUGH	94,153	82,702	11,451	70,363	60,470	9,893	133.32	1,697.6	263.9
Anchorage city	94,153	82,702	11,451	70,363	60,470	9,893	133.32	1,697.6	263.9
Ships in Port	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eklutna *	139	123	16	29	23	6	60.45	6.3	4.3

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Popu-lation	Total Popu-lation 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
ANCHORAGE BOROUGH	226,338	159,650	182,736	14,569	14,544	10,910	3,579	9,258
Anchorage city	226,338	159,650	182,736	14,569	14,544	10,910	3,579	9,258
Ships in Port	5	5	5	0	0	0	0	0
Eklutna *	381	252	311	48	9	11	2	15

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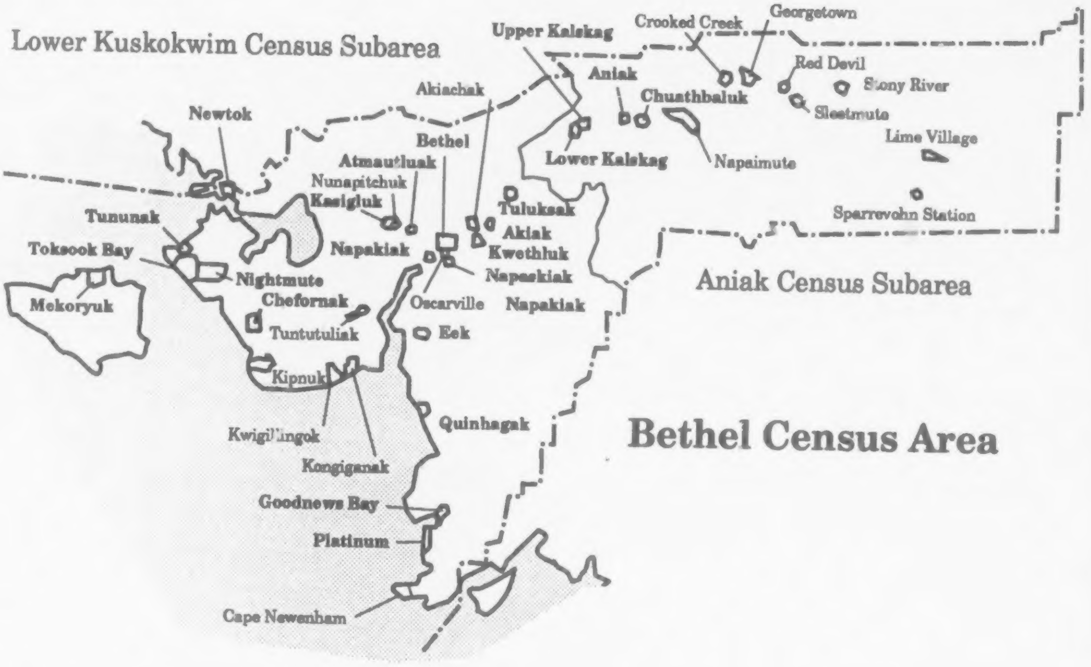
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Upper Kalskag
Crooked Creek
Georgetown
Aniak
Chuathbaluk
Red Devil
Stony River
Sleetmute
Lime Village
Napaimute
Lower Kalskag
Sparrevohn Station
Aniak Census Subarea
Akiachak
Newtok
Bethel
Atmautluak
Nunapitchuk
Kasigluk
Tuluksak
Akiak
Kwethluk
Napaskiak
Napakiak
Tununak
Toksook Bay
Nightmute
Chefornak
Mekoryuk
Tuntutuliak
Oscarville
Napakiak
Eek
Kipnuk
Kwigillingok
Kongiganak
Quinhagak
Bethel Census Area
Goodnews Bay
Platinum
Cape Newenham

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POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	**Year Incorporated**	**Census Population**	**Census Group Quarters**	**Census Persons Per Household**	**Census Population**	**Census Group Quarters**	**Census Persons Per Household**	**Population Change 1980-90**
BETHEL CENSUS AREA		13,656	249	3.72	10,999	118	4.05	2,657
Aniak Census Subarea 1/		1,529	7	3.40	1,301	26	3.83	228
Aniak city *	1972	540	0	3.40	341	0	3.07	199
Chuathbaluk city *	1975	97	0	3.46	105	0	4.04	-8
Crooked Creek CDP *		106	0	3.21	108	0	4.32	-2
Georgetown *		0	0	-	6	0	3.00	-6
Lime Village CDP *		42	0	3.00	48	0	3.69	-6
Lower Kalskag City *	1969	291	0	4.34	246	0	4.47	45
Napaimute *		3	0	3.00	4	0	4.00	-1
Red Devil CDP *		53	0	2.94	39	0	3.90	14
Sleetmute CDP *		106	0	3.21	107	0	2.97	-1
Stony River CDP *		51	0	2.68	62	0	3.65	-11
Upper Kalskag city (Kalskag *)	1975	172	0	3.58	129	0	3.79	43
Balance of Aniak C.S.A.		68	7	2.18	106	26	26.67	-38
Lower Kuskokwim Census Subarea		12,127	242	3.76	9,698	92	4.09	2,429
Akiachak *		483	0	4.27	438	0	5.03	45
Akiachak city (Dissolved 1990)	1974	481	0	4.29	438	0	5.03	43
Akiak city *	1970	285	0	4.25	198	0	5.50	87
Atmautluak city * (Inactive)	1976	258	0	4.87	219	0	4.66	39
Bethel city *	1957	4,674	236	3.10	3,576	49	3.26	1,098
Chefornak city *	1974	320	0	5.00	230	0	6.05	90
Eek city *	1970	254	0	3.53	228	0	4.07	26
Goodnews Bay city *	1970	241	0	3.65	168	0	4.00	73
Kasigluk city * (Inactive)	1982	425	0	4.78	342	0	5.18	83
Kipnuk CDP *		470	2	4.73	371	0	4.95	99
Kongiganak CDP *		294	0	4.90	239	0	4.98	55
Kwethluk city *	1975	558	0	4.39	454	0	5.16	104
Kwigillingok CDP *		278	0	4.48	354	0	5.36	-76
Mekoryuk city *	1969	177	0	2.81	160	0	3.64	17
Napakiak city *	1970	318	0	3.93	262	0	4.37	56
Napaskiak city *	1971	328	0	4.43	244	0	4.98	84
Newtok city (pt.) * (Inactive)	1976	207	0	4.93	131	0	4.68	76
Nightmute city * (Inactive)	1974	153	0	5.28	119	0	4.96	34
Nunapitchuk city	1982	378	0	4.34	299	0	4.75	79
Nunapitchuk *		378	0	4.34	299	0	4.75	79
Oscarville CDP *		57	0	3.80	56	0	4.67	1
Platinum city *	1975	64	0	2.91	55	0	3.93	9
Quinhagak city *	1975	501	0	3.94	412	0	5.02	89
Toksook Bay city *	1972	420	0	4.77	333	0	5.12	87
Tuluksak city *	1970	358	0	4.84	236	0	5.62	122
Tuntutuliak CDP *		300	0	4.29	216	0	5.14	84
Tununak city * (Inactive)	1975	316	0	4.05	298	0	4.38	18
Balance of Lower Kuskokwim C.S.A.		10	4	2.00	60	43	0.65	-50

Table 4.3

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	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
BETHEL CENSUS AREA	4,362	3,605	757	3,297	2,684	613	0.33	41,087.4	4,867.2
Aniak Census Subarea 1/	649	448	201	495	333	162	0.08	19,284.9	220.8
Aniak city *	175	159	16	126	111	15	115.11	4.7	1.4
Chuathbaluk city *	33	28	5	32	26	6	23.24	4.2	2.1
Crooked Creek CDP *	49	33	16	29	25	4	2.63	40.3	3.3
Georgetown *	4	0	4	5	2	3	0.00	24.8	1.3
Lime Village CDP *	17	14	3	15	13	2	0.79	53.4	0.0
Lower Kalskag City *	73	67	6	59	55	4	229.36	1.3	0.4
Napaimute *	9	1	8	6	1	5	0.07	43.9	3.0
Red Devil CDP *	24	18	6	13	10	3	2.26	23.5	1.9
Sleetmute CDP *	38	33	5	43	36	7	3.83	27.6	2.0
Stony River CDP *	27	19	8	25	17	8	2.98	17.1	3.2
Upper Kalskag city (Kalskag *)	51	48	3	38	34	4	45.47	3.8	0.4
Balance of Aniak C.S.A.	149	28	121	104	3	101	0.00	19,040.4	201.8
Lower Kuskokwim C.S.A.	3,713	3,157	556	2,802	2,351	451	0.56	21,802.5	4,646.4
Akiachak *	130	113	17	87	87	0	20.86	23.2	4.1
Akiachak city (Dissolved 1990)	129	112	17	87	87	0	50.11	9.6	1.9
Akiak city *	80	67	13	39	36	3	152.01	1.9	1.0
Atmautluak city * (Inactive)	67	53	14	47	47	0	149.72	1.7	0.0
Bethel city *	1,624	1,432	192	1,289	1,083	206	105.56	44.3	5.8
Chefornak city *	79	64	15	44	38	6	9.98	32.1	4.1
Eek city *	80	72	8	80	56	24	244.92	1.0	0.1
Goodnews Bay city *	72	66	6	51	42	9	74.23	3.2	2.0
Kasigluk city * (Inactive)	105	89	16	70	66	4	22.55	18.9	0.4
Kipnuk CDP *	128	99	29	110	75	35	15.93	29.5	0.7
Kongiganak CDP *	67	60	7	50	48	2	25.81	11.4	0.8
Kwethluk city *	138	127	11	105	88	17	54.66	10.2	1.9
Kwigillingok CDP *	78	62	16	77	66	11	17.65	15.7	5.0
Mekoryuk city *	67	63	4	61	44	17	24.05	7.4	0.0
Napakiak city *	105	81	24	64	60	4	49.28	6.5	0.1
Napaskiak city *	99	74	25	50	49	1	74.49	4.4	0.3
Newtok city (pt.) * (Inactive)	45	42	3	30	28	2	42.91	4.8	1.3
Nightmute city * (Inactive)	36	29	7	30	24	6	1.57	97.2	4.6
Nunapitchuk city	97	87	10	71	63	8	49.73	7.6	0.3
Nunapitchuk *	97	87	10	71	63	8	61.07	6.2	0.3
Oscarville CDP *	21	15	6	12	12	0	38.00	1.5	0.6
Platinum city *	45	22	23	18	14	4	1.44	44.6	0.0
Quinhagak city *	136	127	9	82	82	0	102.54	4.9	0.0
Toksook Bay city *	103	88	15	71	65	6	13.03	32.2	40.6
Tuluksak city *	90	74	16	53	42	11	110.66	3.2	1.0
Tuntutuliak CDP *	76	70	6	57	42	15	11.14	26.9	0.3
Tununak city * (Inactive)	92	78	14	87	68	19	74.14	4.3	0.0
Balance of Lower Kuskokwim C.S.A.	53	3	50	67	26	41	0.00	21,364.0	4,571.5

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
BETHEL CENSUS AREA	13,656	8,324	2,105	11,370	62	91	28	80
Aniak Census Subarea 1/	1,529	910	266	1,246	12	2	3	7
Aniak city *	540	307	146	382	8	2	2	6
Chuathbaluk city *	97	54	10	87	0	0	0	0
Crooked Creek CDP *	106	64	10	96	0	0	0	0
Georgetown *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lime Village CDP *	42	25	2	40	0	0	0	0
Lower Kalskag City *	291	158	4	286	1	0	0	1
Napaimute *	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0
Red Devil CDP *	53	38	26	27	0	0	0	0
Sleetmute CDP *	106	72	14	92	0	0	0	0
Stony River CDP *	51	36	6	45	0	0	0	0
Upper Kalskag city (Kalskag *)	172	103	23	146	3	0	0	0
Balance of Aniak C.S.A.	68	50	25	42	0	0	1	0
Lower Kuskokwim Census Subarea	12,127	7,414	1,839	10,124	50	89	25	73
Akiachak *	483	283	22	459	0	2	0	1
Akiachak city (Dissolved 1990)	481	282	22	457	0	2	0	1
Akiak city *	285	156	8	277	0	0	0	0
Atmautluak city * (Inactive)	258	151	7	250	0	0	1	0
Bethel city *	4,674	3,025	1,551	2,986	39	81	17	59
Chefornak city *	320	175	8	312	0	0	0	1
Eek city *	254	158	10	243	0	0	1	1
Goodnews Bay city *	241	155	10	231	0	0	0	0
Kasigluk city * (Inactive)	425	231	20	405	0	0	0	0
Kipnuk CDP *	470	273	11	458	0	1	0	0
Kongiganak CDP *	294	166	8	286	0	0	0	5
Kwethluk city *	558	331	13	538	6	0	1	1
Kwigillingok CDP *	278	179	14	264	0	0	0	0
Mekoryuk city *	177	122	1	176	0	0	0	0
Napakiak city *	318	188	14	300	4	0	0	1
Napaskiak city *	328	178	17	311	0	0	0	1
Newtok city (pt.) * (Inactive)	207	110	14	193	0	0	0	0
Nightmute city * (Inactive)	153	96	5	146	0	0	2	0
Nunapitchuk city	378	235	11	367	0	0	0	0
Nunapitchuk *	378	235	11	367	0	0	0	0
Oscarville CDP *	57	35	5	52	0	0	0	0
Platinum city *	64	37	4	59	0	0	1	1
Quinhagak city *	501	300	29	470	0	1	1	2
Toksook Bay city *	420	254	17	401	0	2	0	0
Tuluksak city *	358	200	15	342	0	1	0	0
Tuntutuliak CDP *	300	179	9	290	0	0	1	0
Tununak city * (Inactive)	316	188	11	304	0	1	0	0
Balance of Lower Kuskokwim C.S.A.	10	9	5	4	1	0	0	0

1/ A part of Dillingham Census Area was moved to Aniak CSA followiing the incorporation of Lake and Peninsula Borough in 1989. This part contained no persons.

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Bristol Bay Borough

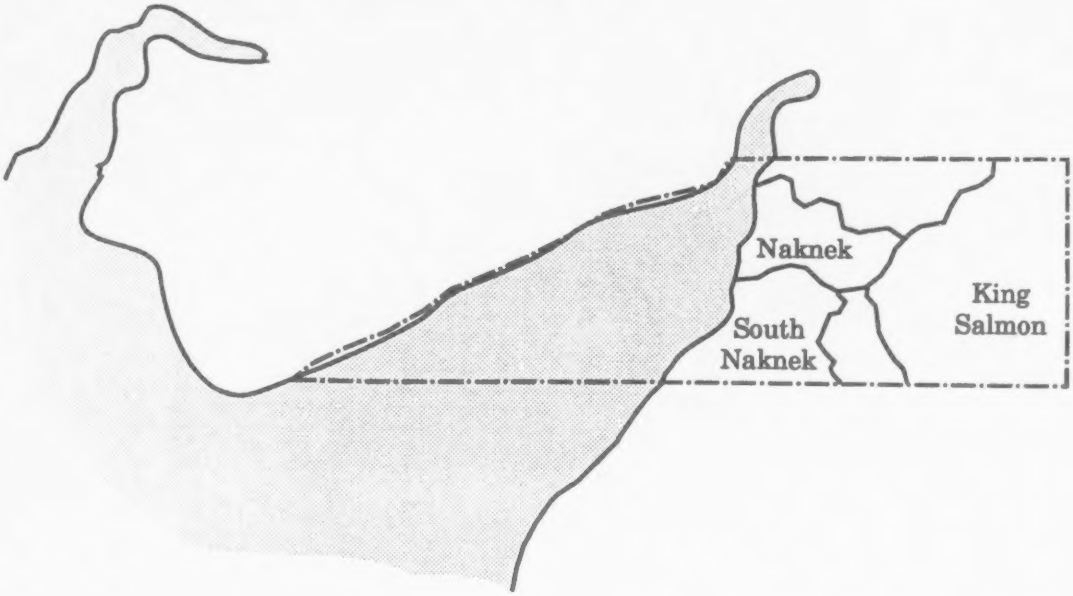
Naknek
South Naknek
King Salmon

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

Place	Year Incorporated	April 1, 1990 Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	April 1, 1980 Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Population Change 1980-90
BRISTOL BAY BOROUGH	1962	1,410	268	2.81	1,094	339	3.07	316
King Salmon CDP *		696	267	2.72	545	339	2.75	151
Naknek CDP *		575	1	2.76	318	0	3.09	257
South Naknek CDP *		136	0	3.49	145	0	3.37	-9
Balance of Bristol Bay C.A.		3	0	1.50	86	0	3.44	-83

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

Place	April 1, 1990 Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	April 1, 1980 Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	April 1 1990 Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
BRISTOL BAY BOROUGH	596	407	189	369	246	123	2.72	519.2	398.4
King Salmon CDP *	228	158	70	131	75	56	3.17	219.3	18.5
Naknek CDP *	276	208	68	142	103	39	7.97	72.1	17.0
South Naknek CDP *	90	39	51	60	43	17	1.42	95.5	16.5
Balance of Bristol Bay C.A.	2	2	0	36	25	11	0.02	132.2	346.4

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	Race White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Ethnicity Hispanic Origin
BRISTOL BAY BOROUGH	1,410	1,028	894	455	38	12	11	33
King Salmon CDP *	696	556	530	108	38	10	10	24
Naknek CDP *	575	381	336	236	0	2	1	9
South Naknek CDP *	136	88	28	108	0	0	0	0
Balance of Bristol Bay C.A.	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0

CDP - Census Designated Place

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Dillingham Census Area

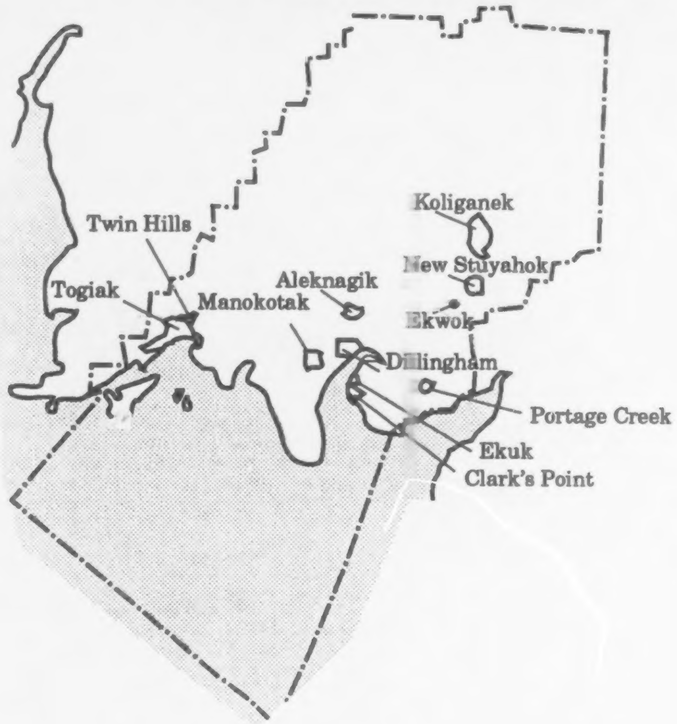
Koliganek
Twin Hills
New Stuyahok
Aleknagik
Togiak
Manokotak
Ekwok
Dillingham
Portage Creek
Ekuk
Clark's Point

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorp-orated	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu-lation Change 1980-90
DILLINGHAM CENSUS AREA		4,012	4	3.30	3,232	0	3.88	780
Aleknagik city *	1973	185	0	3.25	154	0	4.05	31
Clark's Point city *	1971	60	0	3.33	79	0	3.59	-19
Dillingham city *	1963	2,017	4	2.91	1,563	0	3.35	454
Ekuk *		3	0	3.00	7	0	7.00	-4
Ekwok city *	1974	77	0	2.57	77	0	3.85	0
Koliganek CDP *		181	0	3.85	117	0	4.88	64
Manokotak city	1970	385	0	4.28	294	0	5.16	91
Manokotak *		385	0	4.28	294	0	5.16	91
New Stuyahok city *	1972	391	0	4.44	331	0	5.09	60
Portage Creek *		5	0	1.67	48	0	3.69	-43
Togiak city *	1969	613	0	4.06	470	0	4.65	143
Twin Hills CDP *		66	0	2.64	70	0	4.12	-4
Balance of Dillingham Census Area		29	0	2.07	22	0	2.44	7

Table 4.3
HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
DILLINGHAM CENSUS AREA	1,691	1,215	476	1,179	834	345	0.22	18,466.9	2,146.2
Aleknagik city *	84	57	27	75	38	37	15.09	12.3	6.8
Clark's Point city *	55	18	37	28	22	6	15.93	3.8	1.5
Dillingham city *	851	691	160	580	467	113	61.61	32.7	2.1
Ekuk *	65	1	64	61	1	60	0.20	14.8	9.7
Ekwok city *	39	30	9	25	20	5	3.90	19.7	1.3
Koliganek CDP *	53	47	6	24	24	0	1.86	97.1	0.0
Manokotak city	107	90	17	60	57	3	11.02	34.9	0.7
Manokotak *	107	90	17	60	57	3	8.98	42.9	1.1
New Stuyahok city *	95	88	7	65	65	0	11.53	33.9	1.7
Portage Creek *	22	3	19	17	13	4	0.38	13.0	0.0
Togiak city *	200	151	49	121	101	20	13.68	44.8	126.8
Twin Hills CDP *	35	25	10	18	17	1	2.13	31.0	0.8
Balance of Dillingham Census Area	85	14	71	105	9	96	0.00	18,128.8	1,994.8

Table 4.4
POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
DILLINGHAM CENSUS AREA	4,012	2,508	1,019	2,925	8	27	33	49
Aleknagik city *	185	117	31	154	0	0	0	0
Clark's Point city *	60	37	7	53	0	0	0	0
Dillingham city *	2,017	1,305	831	1,125	7	27	27	42
Ekuk *	3	3	1	2	0	0	0	0
Ekwok city *	77	54	10	67	0	0	0	0
Koliganek CDP *	181	104	7	174	0	0	0	0
Manokotak city	385	224	17	368	0	0	0	1
Manokotak *	385	224	17	368	0	0	0	1
New Stuyahok city *	391	227	16	375	0	0	0	0
Portage Creek *	5	4	2	3	0	0	0	0
Togiak city *	613	364	71	535	1	0	6	6
Twin Hills CDP *	66	46	5	61	0	0	0	0
Balance of Dillingham Census Area	29	23	21	8	0	0	0	0

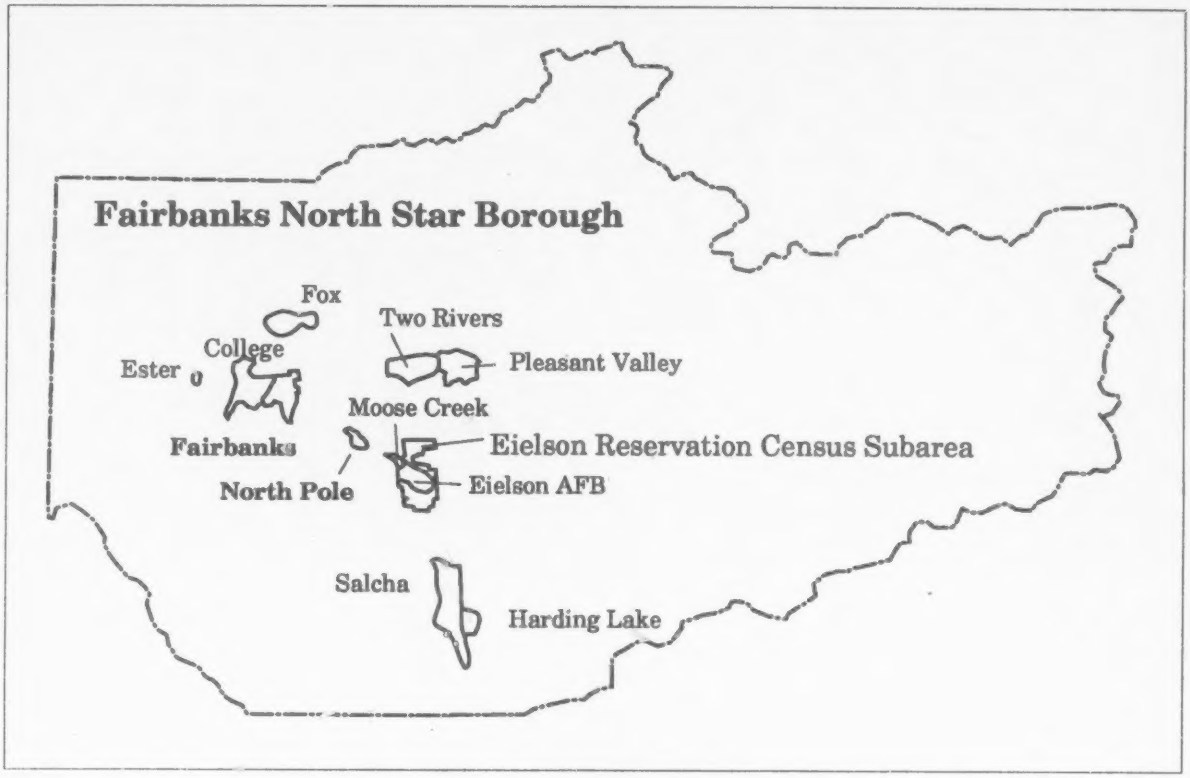
Fairbanks North Star Borough
Fox
Two Rivers
College
Ester
Pleasant Valley
Moose Creek
Fairbanks
Eielson Reservation Census Subarea
North Pole
Eielson AFB
Salcha
Harding Lake

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorp-orated	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu-lation Change 1980-90
FAIRBANKS NORTH STAR BOROUGH	1964	77,720	4,096	2.76	53,983	3,339	2.78	23,737
Eielson Reservation Census Subarea		5,266	617	3.63	5,320	795	3.66	-54
Eielson AFB CDP		5,251	617	3.63	5,232	795	3.67	19
Balance of Eielson Reservation C.S.A.		15	0	3.00	88	0	3.14	-73
Fairbanks North Star Census Subarea		72,454	3,479	2.71	48,663	3,736	2.64	23,791
College CDP		11,249	1,048	2.71	4,043	967	2.64	7,206
Ester CDP		147	0	2.13	149	0	2.40	-2
Fairbanks city	1903	30,843	2,364	2.62	22,645	1,481	2.60	8,198
Fox CDP		275	0	2.43	123	0	2.46	152
Harding Lake CDP		27	0	2.25	38	0	2.00	-11
Moose Creek CDP		610	0	2.53	510	0	2.97	100
North Pole city	1953	1,456	0	2.58	724	0	2.91	732
Pleasant Valley CDP		401	0	2.91	-	-	-	401
Salcha CDP		354	0	2.90	319	0	3.01	35
Two Rivers CDP		453	0	2.92	359	0	2.92	94
Balance of Fairbanks North Star C.S.A.		26,639	67	2.84	19,753	1,288	2.68	6,886

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
FAIRBANKS NORTH STAR BOROUGH	31,823	26,693	5,130	22,708	18,224	4,484	10.56	7,362.4	81.2
Eielson Reservation C.S.A.	1,420	1,280	140	1,239	1,236	3	146.84	35.9	1.3
Eielson AFB CDP	1,415	1,275	140	1,208	1,208	0	427.78	12.3	0.9
Balance of Eielson Reservation C.S.A.	5	5	0	31	28	3	0.64	23.6	0.4
Fairbanks North Star C.S.A.	30,403	25,413	4,990	21,469	16,988	4,481	9.89	7,326.6	80.0
College CDP	4,255	3,764	491	1,417	1,165	252	707.18	15.9	0.4
Ester CDP	87	69	18	75	62	13	96.34	1.5	0.0
Fairbanks city	12,537	10,885	1,652	9,714	8,145	1,569	984.69	31.3	0.8
Fox CDP	154	113	41	90	50	40	15.61	17.6	0.0
Harding Lake CDP	301	12	289	261	19	242	7.81	3.5	3.8
Moose Creek CDP	322	241	81	299	172	127	377.70	1.6	0.1
North Pole city	652	564	88	346	249	97	352.60	4.1	0.0
Pleasant Valley CDP	185	138	47	-	-	-	18.48	21.7	0.0
Salcha CDP	173	122	51	120	106	14	11.52	30.7	0.7
Two Rivers CDP	209	155	54	139	123	16	35.84	12.6	0.0
Balance of Fairbanks North Star C.S.A.	11,528	9,350	2,178	9,008	6,897	2,111	3.71	7,185.9	74.2

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
FAIRBANKS NORTH STAR BOROUGH	77,720	53,383	63,751	5,330	5,553	1,998	1,088	2,899
Eielson Reservation Census Subarea	5,266	3,203	4,291	48	642	154	131	278
Eielson AFB CDP	5,251	3,194	4,276	48	642	154	131	278
Balance of Eielson Reservation C.S.A.	15	9	15	0	0	0	0	0
Fairbanks North Star Census Subarea	72,454	50,180	59,460	5,282	4,911	1,844	957	2,621
College CDP	11,249	8,080	9,479	950	290	421	109	285
Ester CDP	147	110	137	7	0	3	0	0
Fairbanks city	30,843	21,791	22,316	2,830	3,997	1,013	687	1,656
Fox CDP	275	205	247	20	0	7	1	3
Harding Lake CDP	27	25	27	0	0	0	0	0
Moose Creek CDP	610	431	541	15	37	13	4	49
North Pole city	1,456	1,010	1,290	78	51	27	10	75
Pleasant Valley CDP	401	263	377	19	0	2	3	10
Salcha CDP	354	234	334	15	0	1	4	8
Two Rivers CDP	453	275	413	33	1	6	0	3
Balance of Fairbanks North Star C.S.A.	26,639	17,756	24,299	1,315	535	351	139	532

Haines Borough

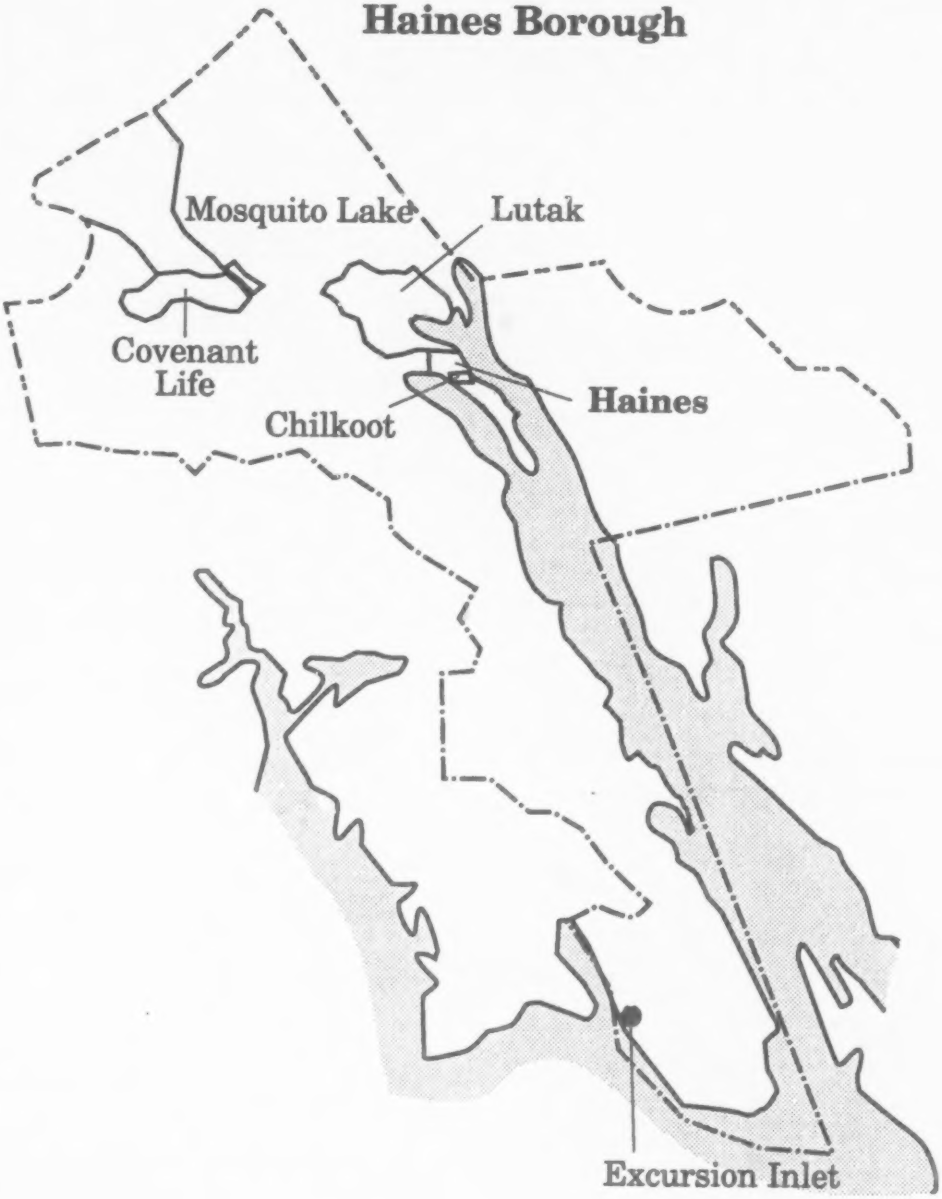
Mosquito Lake
Lutak
Covenant Life
Haines
Chilkoot
Excursion Inlet

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Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorp-orated	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu-lation Change 1980-90
HAINES BOROUGH	1968	2,117	71	2.59	1,680	5	2.93	437
Haines City	1910	1,238	10	2.58	993	0	2.96	245
Chilkoot *		221	0	2.46	-	-	-	221
Covenant Life CDP		47	0	3.13	-	-	-	47
Lutak CDP		45	0	2.65	-	-	-	45
Mosquito Lake CDP		80	0	3.81	-	-	-	80
Balance of Haines C.A.		707	61	2.47	687	5	2.89	20

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

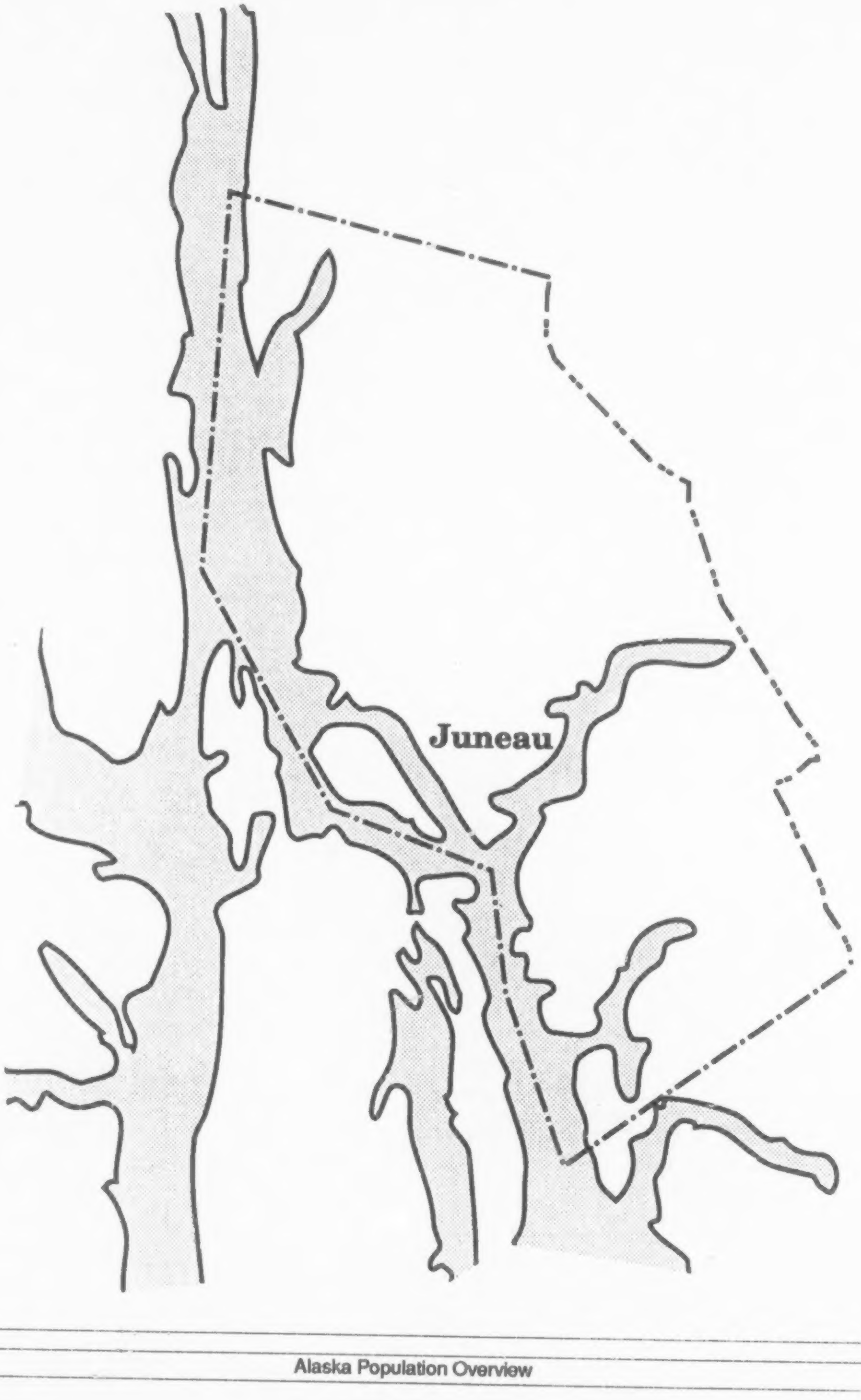
	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
HAINES BOROUGH	1,112	791	321	743	572	171	0.90	2,357.0	397.1
Haines City	527	476	51	399	336	63	439.06	2.8	0.4
Chilkoot *	110	90	20	-	-	-	672.61	0.3	0.1
Covenant Life CDP	16	15	1	-	-	-	3.06	15.3	0.4
Lutak CDP	45	17	28	-	-	-	0.68	65.9	8.9
Mosquito Lake CDP	42	21	21	-	-	-	0.69	116.4	0.4
Balance of Haines C.A.	482	262	220	344	236	108	0.33	2,156.5	387.0

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Popu-lation	Total Popu-lation 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
HAINES BOROUGH	2,117	1,525	1,802	279	1	17	18	27
Haines City	1,238	896	991	224	0	10	13	19
Chilkoot *	221	163	193	27	0	1	0	0
Covenant Life CDP	47	35	47	0	0	0	0	1
Lutak CDP	45	31	36	8	0	1	0	0
Mosquito Lake CDP	80	43	79	1	0	0	0	2
Balance of Haines C.A.	707	520	649	46	1	6	5	5

Juneau Borough



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POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorporated	Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Population Change 1980-90
JUNEAU BOROUGH	1963/1970	26,751	438	2.66	19,528	273	2.74	7,223
Juneau City		26,751	438	2.66	19,528	273	2.74	7,223
Ships in Port		11	11	-	-	-	-	-

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
JUNEAU BOROUGH	10,638	9,902	736	7,656	7,035	621	10.31	2,593.6	487.6
Juneau City	10,638	9,902	736	7,656	7,035	621	10.31	2,593.6	487.6
Ships in Port	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
JUNEAU BOROUGH	26,751	18,901	21,570	3,462	292	1,154	273	749
Juneau City	26,751	18,901	21,570	3,462	292	1,154	273	749
Ships in Port	11	11	11	0	0	0	0	0

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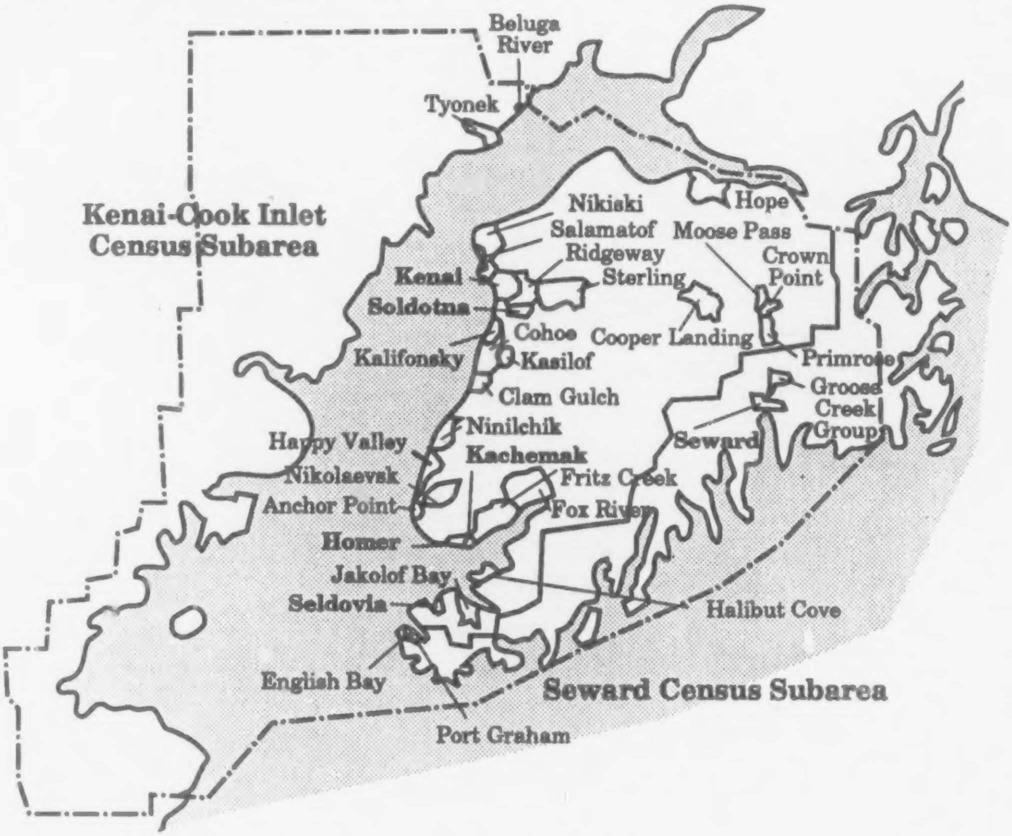
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Ridgeway
Hope
Moose Pass
Crown Point
Kenai
Sterling
Soldotna
Cohoe
Cooper Landing
Kalifonsky
Kasilof
Primrose
Grouse Creek Group
Clam Gulch
Ninilchik
Seward
Happy Valley
Kachemak
Nikolaevsk
Fritz Creek
Anchor Point
Fox River
Homer
Jakolof Bay
Seldovia
Halibut Cove
English Bay
Seward Census Subarea
Port Graham

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorp-orated	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu-lation Change 1980-90
KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH	1964	40,802	1,064	2.79	25,282	320	2.92	15,520
Kenai-Cook Inlet Census Subarea		36,541	553	2.81	22,473	146	2.96	14,068
Anchor Point CDP		866	0	2.76	226	0	3.01	640
Clam Gulch CDP		79	0	2.72	50	0	2.08	29
Cohoe CDP		508	0	2.72	-	-	-	-
Cooper Landing CDP		243	0	2.41	116	0	2.37	127
Crown Point CDP		62	0	2.58	-	-	-	-
Fox River CDP		382	0	5.70	-	-	-	-
Fritz Creek CDP 2/		1,426	0	2.90	404	12	2.82	1,022
Halibut Cove CDP		78	39	1.70	47	0	2.04	31
Happy Valley CDP		309	0	2.62	-	-	-	-
Homer city	1964	3,660	72	2.54	2,209	49	2.66	1,451
Ships in Port		50	50	-	-	-	-	-
Hope CDP		161	0	2.24	103	0	2.40	58
Jakolof Bay CDP		28	0	2.15	36	0	2.40	-8
Kachemak city 2/	1961	365	0	2.61	301	0	3.14	64
Kalifonsky CDP		285	0	2.88	92	0	2.56	193
Kasilof CDP		383	2	3.05	201	0	2.75	182
Kenai city	1960	6,327	35	2.70	4,324	8	2.87	2,003
Moose Pass CDP		81	0	2.45	76	0	2.81	5
Nikiski CDP		2,743	13	3.07	1,109	0	3.07	1,634
Nikolaevsk CDP		371	0	4.64	-	-	-	-
Ninilchik CDP		456	0	2.46	341	0	2.91	115
Ninilchik * 3/		10,523	84	2.78	341	0	2.91	10,182
Primrose CDP		63	0	2.74	-	-	-	-
Ridgeway CDP		2,018	0	2.94	-	-	-	-
Salamatof CDP *		999	280	2.72	334	0	2.78	665
Seldovia city *	1945	316	0	2.45	479	0	2.74	-163
Soldotna city	1967	3,482	30	2.69	2,320	0	2.87	1,162
Sterling CDP		3,802	0	2.96	919	0	3.32	2,883
Tyonek CDP *		154	0	2.80	239	0	3.19	-85
Balance of Kenai-Cook Inlet C.S.A.		6,894	82	2.90	8,547	77	3.13	-1653
Seward Census Subarea		4,261	511	2.59	2,809	166	2.67	1,452
English Bay CDP *		158	0	3.76	124	0	4.43	34
Grouse Creek Group *		580	0	2.93	-	-	-	-
Port Graham CDP *		166	0	2.77	161	0	3.04	5
Seward city	1912	2,699	511	2.47	1,843	166	2.50	856
Ships in Port		19	19	-	-	-	-	-
Balance of Seward C.S.A.		658	0	2.49	681	0	2.84	-23

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

Place	April 1, 1990 Census Total Housing Units	April 1, 1990 Census Occupied Housing Units	April 1, 1990 Census Vacant Housing Units	April 1, 1980 Census Total Housing Units	April 1, 1980 Census Occupied Housing Units	April 1, 1980 Census Vacant Housing Units	April 1 1990 Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH	19,364	14,250	5,114	11,740	8,546	3,194	2.54	16,078.9	5,585.4
Kenai-Cook Inlet C.S.A.	17,603	12,800	4,803	10,554	7,555 33	2,999	2.70	13,552.3	4,108.6
Anchor Point CDP	405	314	91	116	75	41	42.26	20.5	4.2
Clam Gulch CDP	56	29	27	39	24	15	14.82	5.3	5.1
Cohoe CDP	339	187	152	-	-	-	18.54	27.4	122.2
Cooper Landing CDP	281	101	180	108	49	59	4.44	54.8	5.0
Crown Point CDP	42	24	18	-	-	-	9.88	6.3	0.3
Fox River CDP	103	67	36	-	-	-	4.45	85.9	4.6
Fritz Creek CDP 2/	643	491	152	188	139	49	23.28	61.3	23.6
Halibut Cove CDP	93	23	70	34	23	11	10.86	7.2	4.6
Happy Valley CDP	209	118	91	-	-	-	9.19	33.6	40.4
Homer city	1,673	1,411	262	1,003	812	191	335.26	10.9	15.8
Ships in Port	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hope CDP	164	72	92	122	43	79	3.32	48.4	15.8
Jakolof Bay CDP	94	13	81	42	15	27	1.39	20.2	6.5
Kachemak city 2/	175	140	35	131	96	35	200.16	1.8	0.0
Kalifonsky CDP	140	99	41	62	36	26	26.66	10.7	2.5
Kasilof CDP	151	125	26	98	73	25	33.47	11.4	0.6
Kenai city	2,681	2,329	352	1,890	1,506	384	241.24	26.2	5.4
Moose Pass CDP	51	33	18	51	27	24	10.07	8.0	0.9
Nikiski CDP	1,045	888	157	431	361	70	97.58	28.1	90.1
Nikolaevsk CDP	114	80	34	-	-	-	9.11	40.7	0.0
Ninilchik CDP	330	185	145	174	117	57	11.94	38.2	36.5
Ninilchik * 3/	5,203	3,761	1,442	174	117	57	3.20	3,284.2	1,038.1
Primrose CDP	38	23	15	-	-	-	3.91	16.1	2.2
Ridgeway CDP	827	686	141	-	-	-	92.42	21.8	1.1
Salamatof CDP *	424	264	160	178	120	58	123.13	8.1	9.5
Seldovia city *	221	129	92	215	175	40	998.10	0.3	0.1
Soldotna city	1,460	1,284	176	960	808	152	501.89	6.9	0.5
Sterling CDP	2,179	1,283	896	472	277	195	44.58	85.3	2.8
Tyonek CDP *	92	55	37	95	75	20	6.91	22.3	3.3
Balance of Kenai-Cook Inlet C.S.A.	3,573	2,347	1,226	4,145	2,704	1,441	0.54	12,844.4	3,705.1
Seward Census Subarea	1,761	1,450	311	1,186	991	195	1.69	2,526.6	1,476.8
English Bay CDP *	51	42	9	29	28	1	20.91	7.6	1.6
Grouse Creek Group *	232	198	34	-	-	-	68.57	8.5	0.3
Port Graham CDP *	68	60	8	59	53	6	28.01	5.9	1.3
Seward city	1,010	886	124	777	670	107	175.03	15.4	7.2
Ships in Port	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance of Seward C.S.A.	400	264	136	321	240	81	0.26	2,489.3	1,466.4

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH	40,802	27,406	37,089	2,935	203	428	147	726
Kenai-Cook Inlet Census Subarea	36,541	24,328	33,795	2,094	133	383	136	644
Anchor Point CDP	866	589	828	32	1	5	0	3
Clam Gulch CDP	79	50	68	10	0	1	0	0
Cohoe CDP	508	338	490	9	0	2	7	10
Cooper Landing CDP	243	183	238	3	0	2	0	0
Crown Point CDP	62	47	59	3	0	0	0	0
Fox River CDP	382	143	382	0	0	0	0	0
Fritz Creek CDP 2/	1,426	898	1,361	48	9	8	0	13
Halibut Cove CDP	78	75	74	3	0	0	1	3
Happy Valley CDP	309	214	287	19	0	3	0	9
Homer city	3,660	2,549	3,463	130	8	54	5	71
Ships in Port	50	50	47	0	2	0	1	1
Hope CDP	161	120	151	5	1	4	0	3
Jakolof Bay CDP	28	23	28	0	0	0	0	0
Kachemak city 2/	365	255	346	11	0	8	0	1
Kalifonsky CDP	285	185	270	12	0	3	0	0
Kasilof CDP	383	258	371	11	0	0	1	6
Kenai city	6,327	4,253	5,604	535	37	96	55	176
Moose Pass CDP	81	61	72	9	0	0	0	0
Nikiski CDP	2,743	1,743	2,551	168	4	19	1	36
Nikolaevsk CDP	371	163	359	5	0	7	0	5
Ninilchik CDP	456	331	367	89	0	0	0	4
Ninilchik * 3/	10,523	6,938	9,924	455	27	104	13	142
Primrose CDP	63	46	63	0	0	0	0	0
Ridgeway CDP	2,018	1,349	1,867	93	9	36	13	35
Salamatof CDP *	999	777	854	104	32	5	4	28
Seldovia city *	316	223	259	48	0	5	4	8
Soldotna city	3,482	2,301	3,267	158	11	37	9	94
Sterling CDP	3,802	2,499	3,673	79	1	33	16	38
Tyonek CDP *	154	104	12	142	0	0	0	0
Balance of Kenai-Cook Inlet C.S.A.	6,894	4,551	6,431	368	20	55	20	101
Seward Census Subarea	4,261	3,078	3,294	841	70	45	11	82
English Bay CDP *	158	83	14	144	0	0	0	1
Grouse Creek Group *	580	362	496	81	1	2	0	14
Port Graham CDP *	166	112	15	150	0	1	0	0
Seward city	2,699	2,056	2,173	410	69	37	10	56
Ships in Port	19	19	18	0	1	0	0	0
Balance of Seward C.S.A.	658	465	596	56	0	5	1	11

2/ The 1980 U.S. Census incorrectly defined the city boundaries of Kachemak. The Census count included people living outside Kachemak.

3/ The 1990 ANVSA of Ninilchik covers a large area including most of the Kenai peninsula south of the community of Ninilchik to Kachemak Bay.

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Ketchikan Gateway Borough

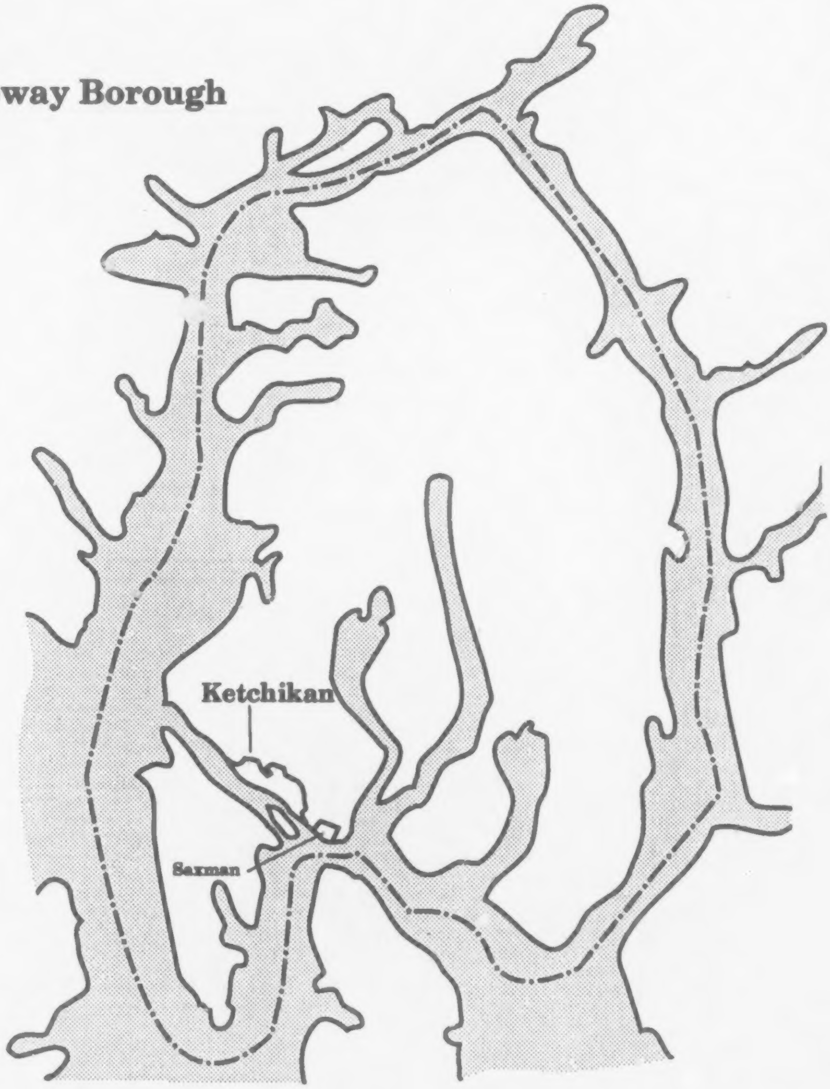
Ketchikan
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Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

Place	Year Incorp-orated	April 1, 1990 Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	April 1, 1980 Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu-lation Change 1980-90
KETCHIKAN GATEWAY BOROUGH	1963	13,828	252	2.70	11,316	332	2.76	2,512
Ketchikan city	1900	8,263	252	2.53	7,198	178	2.66	1,065
Ships in Port		37	37	-	-	-	-	37
Saxman city *	1930	369	0	3.73	273	15	3.91	96
Balance of Ketchikan C.A.		5,196	0	2.94	3,845	139	2.91	1,351

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

Place	April 1, 1990 Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	April 1, 1980 Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	April 1 1990 Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
KETCHIKAN GATEWAY BOR.	5,463	5,030	433	4,431	3,985	446	11.34	1,219.6	523.9
Ketchikan city	3,360	3,164	196	2,837	2,644	193	2,709.35	3.0	0.8
Ships in Port	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saxman city *	105	99	6	78	66	12	569.55	0.6	0.0
Balance of Ketchikan C.A.	1,998	1,767	231	1,516	1,275	241	4.24	1,215.9	523.1

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

Place	Total Popu-lation	Total Popu-lation 18+	Race White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Ethnicity Hispanic Origin
KETCHIKAN GATEWAY BOROUGH	13,828	9,706	11,316	1,898	55	493	66	285
Ketchikan city	8,263	5,990	6,471	1,296	48	401	47	205
Ships in Port	37	37	35	1	1	0	0	0
Saxman city *	369	246	76	284	0	7	2	7
Balance of Ketchikan C.A.	5,159	3,433	4,734	317	6	85	17	73

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Kodiak Island Borough

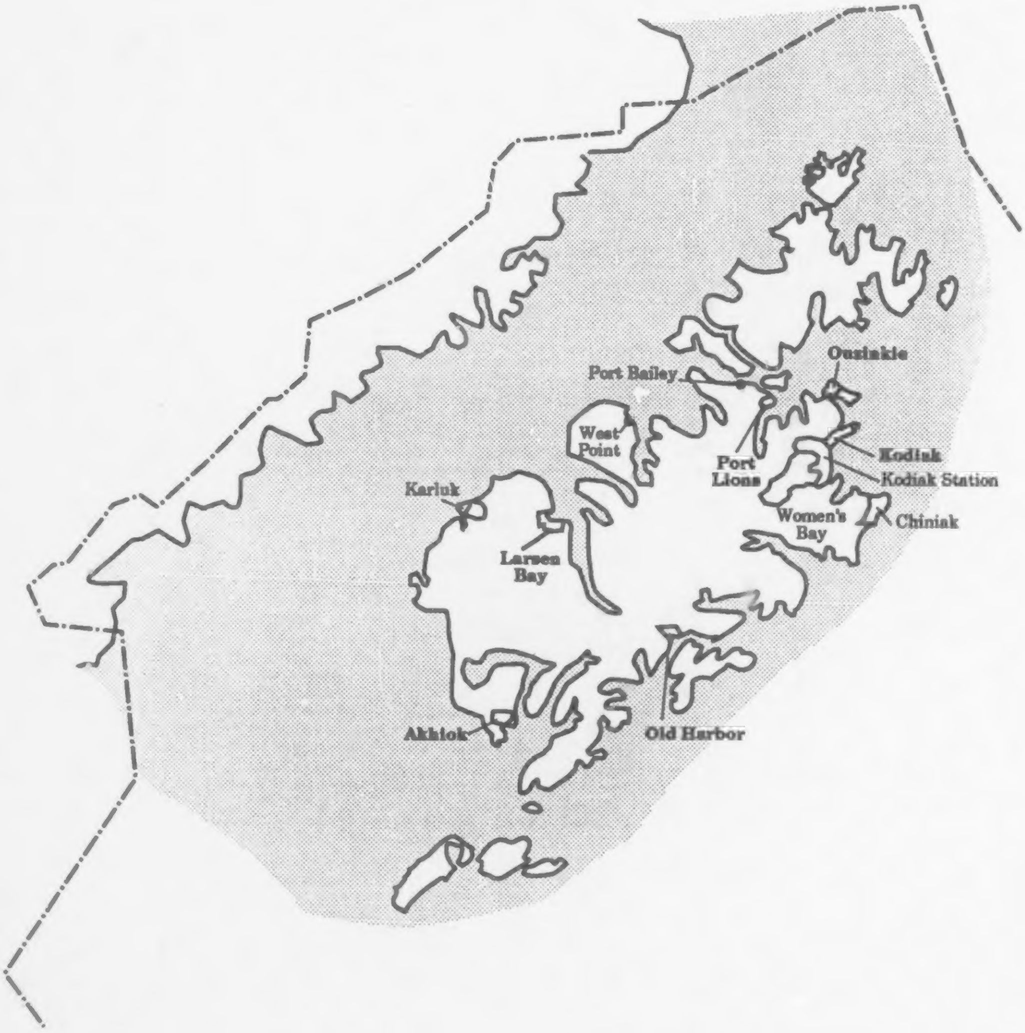
Port Bailey
Ouzinkie
West Point
Port Lions
Kodiak
Kodiak Station
Karluk
Women's Bay
Chiniak
Larsen Bay
Akhiok
Old Harbor

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorporated	Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Population Change 1980-90
KODIAK ISLAND BOROUGH 4/	1963	13,309	955	3.03	9,939	681	3.06	3,370
Kodiak Island Census Subarea		11,284	502	2.94	8,569	351	3.01	2,715
Akhiok city *	1972	77	0	4.05	105	0	3.89	-28
Chiniak CDP		69	0	3.00	-	-	-	-
Karluk CDP *		71	0	3.94	96	0	4.57	-25
Kodiak city	1940	6,365	377	2.92	4,756	192	2.97	1,609
Ships in Port		142	142	-	-	-	-	-
Larsen Bay city	1974	147	0	3.34	168	24	3.51	-21
Larsen Bay * 5/		147	0	3.34	144	0	3.51	3
Old Harbor city *	1966	284	0	3.26	340	0	3.86	-56
Ouzinkie city	1967	209	0	3.07	173	0	3.04	36
Ouzinkie *		209	0	3.07	173	0	3.04	36
Port Lions city *	1966	222	0	3.04	215	0	3.26	7
Women's Bay CDP		620	0	2.82	-	-	-	-
Balance of Kodiak Island C.S.A.		3,220	125	2.90	2,716	135	2.88	504
Kodiak Station Census Subarea		2,025	453	3.80	1,370	330	3.53	655
Kodiak Station CDP		2,025	453	3.80	1,370	330	3.53	655
Ships in Port		266	266	-	-	-	-	-

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
KODIAK ISLAND BOROUGH 4/	4,885	4,083	802	3,579	3,027	552	2.06	6,462.6	5,383.3
Kodiak Island C.S.A.	4,386	3 669	717	3,279	2,732	547	1.75	6,439.5	5,376.0
Akhiok city *	35	19	16	34	27	7	10.49	7.3	2.0
Chiniak CDP	36	23	13	-	-	-	1.73	39.9	74.4
Karluk CDP *	27	18	9	22	21	1	1.53	46.5	20.6
Kodiak city	2,177	2,051	126	1,638	1,535	103	1961.14	3.2	1.3
Ships in Port	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Larsen Bay city	74	44	30	59	41	18	28.48	5.2	2.3
Larsen Bay * 5/	74	44	30	59	41	18	28.48	5.2	2.3
Old Harbor city *	112	87	25	98	88	10	13.91	20.4	6.0
Ouzinkie city	82	68	14	68	57	11	37.41	5.6	1.5
Ouzinkie *	82	68	14	68	57	11	37.39	5.6	1.5
Port Lions city *	103	73	30	71	66	5	33.67	6.6	2.8
Women's Bay CDP	255	220	35	-	-	-	13.81	44.9	0.1
Balance of Kodiak Island C.S.A.	1,485	1,066	419	1,289	897	392	0.51	6,259.9	5,264.8
Kodi[illegible]k Station C.S.A.	499	414	85	300	295	5	87.93	23.0	7.3
Kodiak Station CDP	499	414	85	300	295	5	87.93	23.0	7.3
Ships in Port	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
KODIAK ISLAND BOROUGH 4/	13,309	9,178	9,289	2,126	135	1,492	267	663
Kodiak Island Census Subarea	11,284	7,864	7,475	2,092	64	1,417	236	561
Akhiok city *	77	39	4	72	0	1	0	0
Chiniak CDP	69	43	63	4	0	2	0	1
Karluk CDP *	71	37	5	65	0	1	0	1
Kodiak city	6,365	4,607	4,028	811	47	1,282	197	407
Ships in Port	142	142	100	8	1	20	13	21
Larsen Bay city	147	94	21	124	0	2	0	0
Larsen Bay * 5/	147	94	21	124	0	2	0	0
Old Harbor city *	284	168	29	252	0	0	3	6
Ouzinkie city	209	142	28	178	0	0	3	12
Ouzinkie *	209	142	28	178	0	0	3	12
Port Lions city *	222	146	68	150	0	2	2	2
Women's Bay CDP	620	431	541	65	5	9	0	10
Balance of Kodiak Island C.S.A.	3,220	2,157	2,688	371	12	118	31	122
Kodiak Station Census Subarea	2,025	1,314	1,814	34	71	75	31	102
Kodiak Station CDP	2,025	1,314	1,814	34	71	75	31	102
Ships in Port	266	266	241	2	8	7	8	19

4/ Kodiak Island Borough annexed part of Dillingham Census Area in March 1989. This part of Dillingham contained no population.

5/ Larson Bay ANV in 1980 did not include the cannery.

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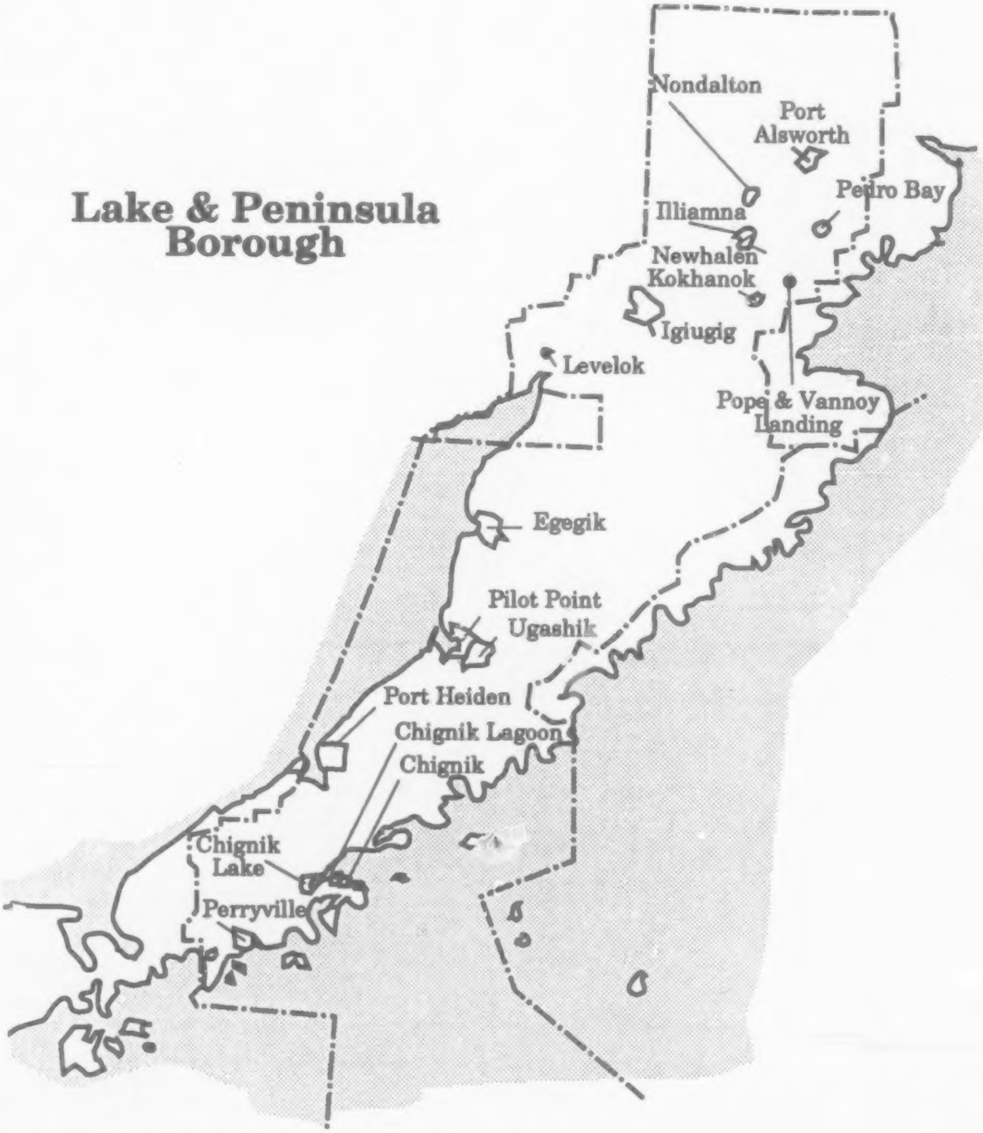

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Chignik
Chignik Lake
Perryville

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

Place	Year Incorp- orated	April 1, 1990 Census Popu- lation	April 1, 1990 Census Group Quarters	April 1, 1990 Census Persons Per Household	April 1, 1980 Census Popu- lation	April 1, 1980 Census Group Quarters	April 1, 1980 Census Persons Per Household	Popu- lation Change 1980-90
LAKE AND PENINSULA BOROUGH	1989	1,668	28	3.22	1,384	0	3.64	284
Chignik city *	1983	188	28	3.48	178	0	3.79	10
Chignik Lagoon CDP *		53	0	3.12	48	0	3.43	5
Chignik Lake CDP *		133	0	3.91	138	0	3.63	-5
Egegik CDP *		122	0	2.54	75	0	2.34	47
Igiugig CDP *		33	0	2.54	33	0	3.67	0
Iliamna CDP *		94	0	3.13	94	0	4.27	0
Ivanof Bay CDP *		35	0	3.89	40	0	4.44	-5
Kokhanok CDP (Kokahonak *)		152	0	4.00	83	0	4.15	69
Levelock CDP *		105	0	2.69	79	0	3.76	26
Newhalen city *	1971	160	0	4.44	87	0	4.83	73
Nondalton city *	1971	178	0	3.30	173	0	4.12	5
Pedro Bay CDP *		42	0	2.47	33	0	3.00	9
Perryville CDP *		108	0	3.48	111	0	3.58	-3
Pilot Point CDP *		53	0	3.12	66	0	4.10	-13
Port Alsworth CDP		55	0	3.24	22	0	3.67	33
Port Heiden city *	1972	119	0	2.83	92	0	3.17	27
Ugashik *		7	0	1.75	13	0	1.63	-6
Balance of Lake & Peninsula Borough		31	0	1.82	19	0	2.71	12

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

Place	April 1, 1990 Census Total Housing Units	April 1, 1990 Census Occupied Housing Units	April 1, 1990 Census Vacant Housing Units	April 1, 1980 Census Total Housing Units	April 1, 1980 Census Occupied Housing Units	April 1, 1980 Census Vacant Housing Units	April 1 1990 Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
LAKE AND PENINSULA BOROUGH	991	509	482	751	380	371	0.07	23,632.3	5,375.9
Chignik city *	104	46	58	47	47	0	16.05	11.7	4.1
Chignik Lagoon CDP *	83	17	66	34	14	20	4.31	12.3	0.0
Chignik Lake CDP *	57	34	23	42	38	4	7.23	18.4	3.8
Egegik CDP *	66	48	18	74	32	42	2.26	53.9	22.5
Igiugig CDP *	16	13	3	23	9	14	1.21	27.3	20.8
Iliamna CDP *	36	30	6	22	22	0	4.26	22.1	2.4
Ivanof Bay CDP *	14	9	5	12	9	3	3.14	11.1	1.1
Kokhanok CDP (Kokahonak *)	41	38	3	25	20	5	7.00	21.7	7.8
Levelock CDP *	46	39	7	27	21	6	3.73	28.2	4.5
Newhalen city *	40	36	4	18	18	0	26.69	6.0	2.2
Nondalton city *	65	54	11	58	42	16	21.42	8.3	0.5
Pedro Bay CDP *	36	17	19	24	11	13	2.31	18.2	8.5
Perryville CDP *	45	31	14	33	31	2	2.91	37.1	8.3
Pilot Point CDP *	57	17	40	27	16	11	0.79	66.7	16.5
Port Alsworth CDP	28	17	11	22	6	16	2.62	21.0	6.9
Port Heiden city *	61	42	19	30	29	1	2.33	51.1	0.7
Ugashik *	20	4	16	10	8	2	0.08	88.0	8.8
Balance of Lake & Peninsula Borough	176	17	159	223	7	216	0.00	23,129.2	5,256.5

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
LAKE AND PENINSULA BOROUGH	1,668	1,034	389	1,261	0	12	6	32
Chignik city *	188	126	92	85	0	9	2	15
Chignik Lagoon CDP *	53	33	23	30	0	0	0	0
Chignik Lake CDP *	133	75	11	122	0	0	0	0
Egegik CDP *	122	82	35	86	0	0	1	1
Igiugig CDP *	33	23	7	26	0	0	0	2
Iliamna CDP *	94	60	31	62	0	0	1	3
Ivanof Bay CDP *	35	19	2	33	0	0	0	0
Kokhanok CDP (Kokahonak *)	152	89	13	137	0	0	2	2
Levelock CDP *	105	67	18	87	0	0	0	0
Newhalen city *	160	86	9	151	0	0	0	0
Nondalton city *	178	105	19	159	0	0	0	7
Pedro Bay CDP *	42	31	4	38	0	0	0	0
Perryville CDP *	108	65	6	102	0	0	0	1
Pilot Point CDP *	53	35	8	45	0	0	0	1
Port Alsworth CDP	55	32	51	1	0	3	0	0
Port Heiden city *	119	74	33	86	0	0	0	0
Ugashik *	7	7	1	6	0	0	0	0
Balance of Lake & Peninsula Borough	31	25	26	5	0	0	0	0

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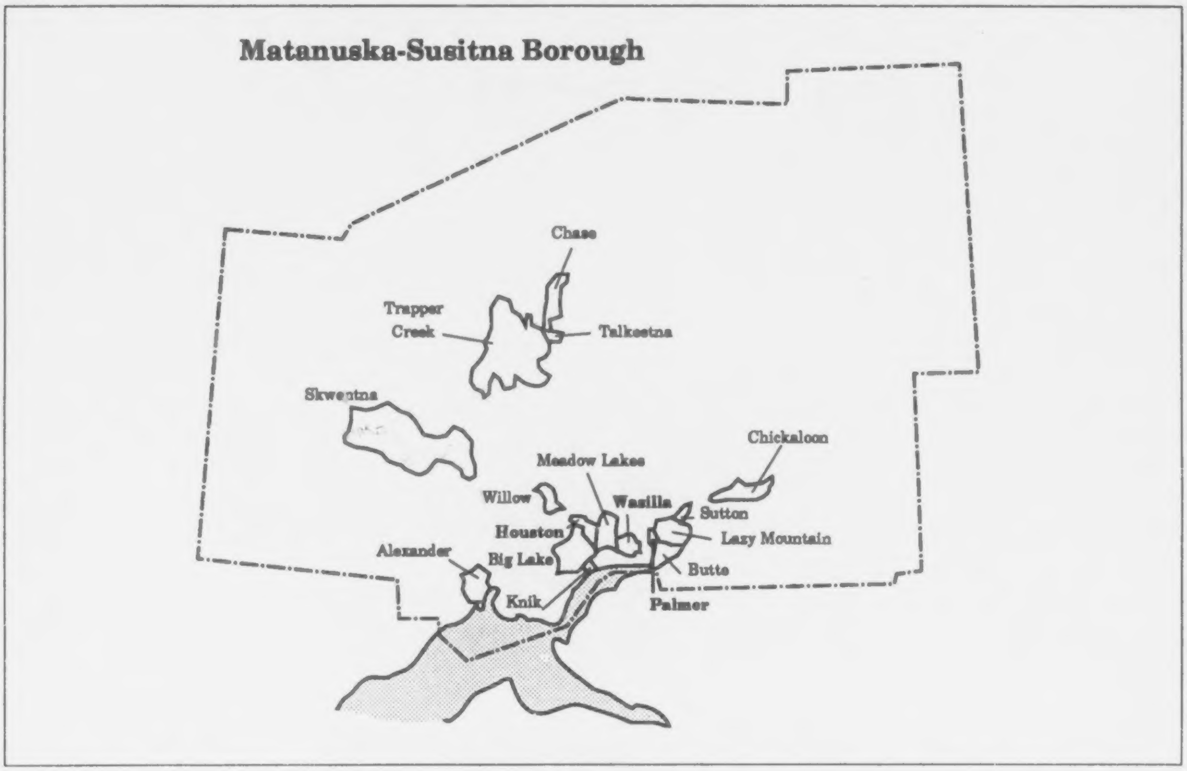
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Big Lake
Butte
Knik
Palmer

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorp-orated	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu-lation Change 1980-90
MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH	1964	39,683	516	2.92	17,816	378	3.06	21,867
Alexander *		40	0	2.50	11	0	2.75	29
Big Lake CDP		1,477	0	2.70	410	0	2.53	1,067
Butte CDP		2,039	0	2.99	988	0	3.32	1,051
Chase CDP		38	0	2.00	-	-	-	-
Chickaloon CDP		145	0	2.84	-	-	-	-
Houston city	1966	697	0	2.73	370	0	2.87	327
Knik CDP *		272	0	2.59	10	-	-	-
Lazy Mountain CDP		838	0	3.10	-	-	-	-
Meadow Lakes CDP		2,374	0	2.87	-	-	-	-
Palmer city	1951	2,866	149	2.72	2,141	98	2.82	725
Skwentna CDP		85	0	2.74	-	-	-	-
Sutton CDP		308	0	2.77	182	0	3.19	126
Talkeetna CDP		250	0	2.36	264	0	2.72	-14
Trapper Creek CDP		296	0	2.69	-	-	-	-
Wasilla city	1974	4,028	19	2.84	1,559	0	3.07	2,469
Willow CDP		285	0	2.94	139	0	2.84	146
Balance of Matanuska-Susitna C.A.		23,645	348	3.00	11,742	280	3.13	11,903

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH	20,953	13,394	7,559	10,098	5,699	4,399	1.61	24,693.6	538.8
Alexander *	28	16	12	6	4	2	0.70	56.8	1.0
Big Lake CDP	1,933	548	1,385	570	162	408	11.09	133.2	13.0
Butte CDP	798	681	117	346	298	48	41.89	48.7	3.9
Chase CDP	54	19	35	-	-	-	1.05	36.1	1.0
Chickaloon CDP	158	51	107	-	-	-	3.08	47.0	0.5
Houston city	484	255	229	234	129	105	29.36	23.7	1.1
Knik CDP *	178	105	73	6	4	2	27.94	9.7	9.6
Lazy Mountain CDP	365	270	95	-	-	-	20.28	41.3	1.4
Meadow Lakes CDP	1,311	827	484	-	-	-	44.11	53.8	2.9
Palmer city	1,169	998	171	842	725	117	778.00	3.7	0.0
Skwentna CDP	230	31	199	-	-	-	0.21	398.6	6.8
Sutton CDP	142	111	31	68	57	11	47.79	6.4	0.2
Talkeetna CDP	160	106	54	155	97	58	93.66	2.7	0.3
Trapper Creek CDP	203	110	93	-	-	-	1.37	215.5	3.3
Wasilla city	1,723	1,410	313	694	507	187	359.61	11.2	0.6
Willow CDP	244	97	147	165	49	116	20.94	13.6	0.9
Balance of Matanuska-Susitna C.A.	11,773	7,759	4,014	7,012	3,667	3,345	1.00	23,591.5	492.3

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH	39,683	25,670	36,949	1,939	307	297	191	752
Alexander *	40	32	30	10	0	0	0	0
Big Lake CDP	1,477	1,021	1,410	54	0	5	8	15
Butte CDP	2,039	1,332	1,934	73	16	10	6	33
Chase CDP	38	33	38	0	0	0	0	0
Chickaloon CDP	145	91	132	9	0	1	3	5
Houston city	697	465	663	25	1	4	4	20
Knik CDP *	272	185	238	31	0	3	0	4
Lazy Mountain CDP	838	550	794	36	2	4	2	22
Meadow Lakes CDP	2,374	1,519	2,272	69	13	16	4	42
Palmer city	2,866	1,863	2,539	220	66	26	15	67
Skwentna CDP	85	58	82	1	0	2	0	0
Sutton CDP	308	205	288	18	1	0	1	8
Talkeetna CDP	250	179	246	4	0	0	0	0
Trapper Creek CDP	296	208	276	18	1	0	1	5
Wasilla city	4,028	2,574	3,728	212	24	36	28	79
Willow CDP	285	182	282	3	0	0	0	0
Balance of Matanuska-Susitna C.A.	23,645	15,173	21,997	1,156	183	190	119	452

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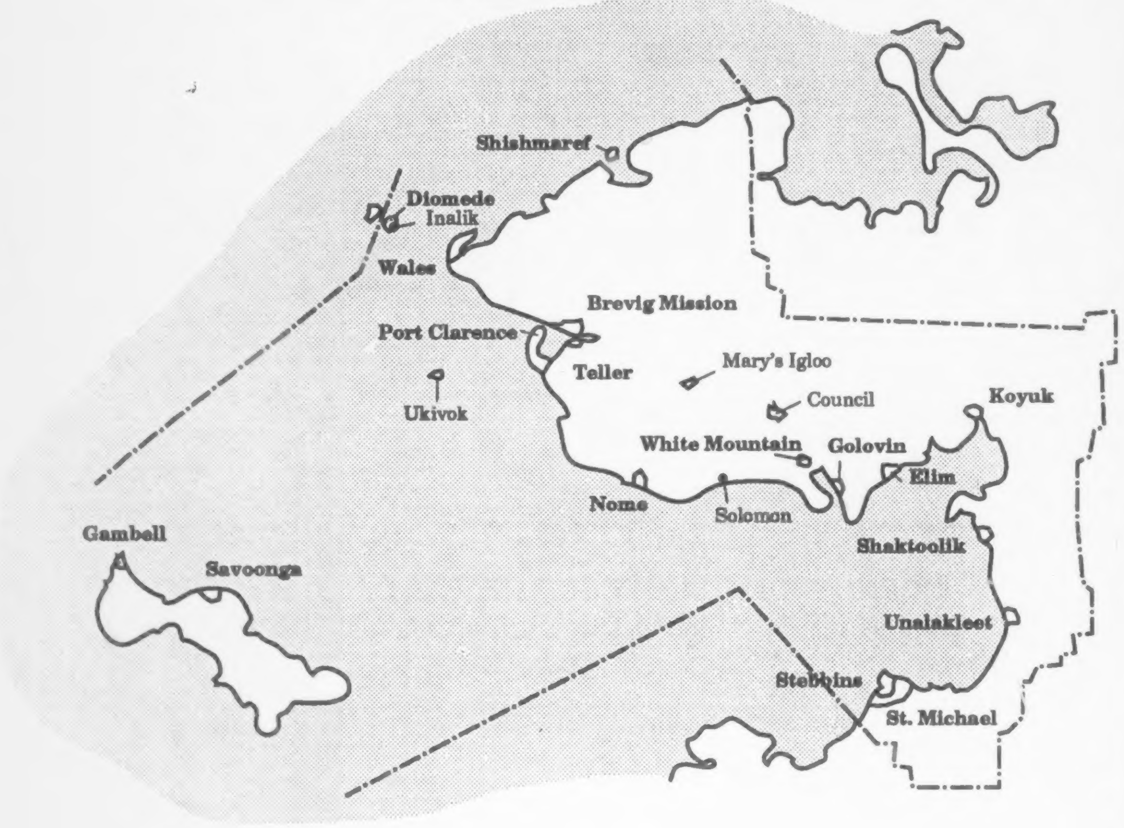
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Nome
Solomon
Gambell
Savoonga
Shaktoolik
Unalakleet
Stebbins
St. Michael

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorp-orated	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu-lation Change 1980-90
NOME CENSUS AREA		8,288	192	3.41	6,537	88	3.70	1,751
Brevig Mission city *	1969	198	0	3.74	138	0	4.31	60
Council *		8	0	2.67	19	0	2.71	-11
Diomede city (Inalik *)	1970	178	0	4.34	139	0	4.63	39
Elim *		264	0	3.62	211	0	4.40	53
Elim city	1970	264	0	3.62	211	0	4.40	53
Gambell city *	1963	525	0	4.38	445	0	4.32	80
Golovin city *	1971	127	0	3.02	87	0	2.81	40
Koyuk city *	1970	231	0	3.79	188	0	3.92	43
Mary's Igloo *		0	0	-	0	0	-	-
Nome city 6/	1901	3,500	166	2.98	2,506	43	3.24	994
Port Clarence CDP		26	26	-	29	29	-	-
Savoonga city *	1969	519	0	4.47	491	0	4.50	28
Shaktoolik city *	1969	178	0	3.87	164	0	3.81	14
Shishmaref city *	1969	456	0	3.83	394	0	8.38	62
Solomon *		6	0	1.50	4	0	4.00	2
Stebbins city *	1969	400	0	4.65	331	0	4.80	69
St. Michael city *	1969	295	0	4.28	239	0	4.19	56
Teller city * 7/	1963	230	0	3.43	212	0	3.26	18
Ukivok *		0	0	-	0	0	-	-
Unalakleet city *	1974	714	0	3.45	623	0	3.94	91
Wales city *	1964	161	0	3.29	133	0	3.59	28
White Mountain city *	1969	180	0	3.10	125	0	3.47	55
Balance of Nome C.A.		92	0	2.42	44	16	0.47	48

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
NOME CENSUS AREA	3,684	2,371	1,313	2,608	1,741	867	0.36	23,012.6	5,263.6
Brevig Mission city *	64	53	11	41	32	9	47.65	4.2	0.0
Council *	32	3	29	14	7	7	0.36	22.0	0.0
Diomede city (Inalik *)	41	41	0	33	30	3	94.37	1.9	3.7
Elim *	121	73	48	48	48	0	0.56	473.6	15.6
Elim city	81	73	8	48	48	0	113.11	2.3	0.0
Gambell city *	132	120	12	163	103	60	47.21	11.1	19.2
Golovin city *	49	42	7	44	31	13	33.27	3.8	0.0
Koyuk city *	70	61	9	48	48	0	51.35	4.5	0.0
Mary's Igloo *	8	0	8	17	0	17	0.00	11.2	0.8
Nome city 6/	1,334	1,119	215	986	761	225	253.76	13.8	9.1
Port Clarence CDP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.73	35.5	42.3
Savoonga city *	129	116	13	158	109	49	70.86	7.3	0.0
Shaktoolik city *	58	46	12	56	43	13	111.84	1.6	0.0
Shishmaref city *	136	119	17	86	47	39	163.81	2.8	4.5
Solomon *	4	4	0	20	1	19	0.38	15.7	0.2
Stebbins city *	87	86	1	82	69	13	11.18	35.8	1.8
St. Michael city *	78	69	9	73	57	16	13.91	21.2	6.1
Teller city * /7	88	67	21	116	65	51	110.24	2.1	0.2
Ukivok *	18	0	18	34	0	34	0.00	4.0	2.9
Unalakleet city *	240	207	33	200	158	42	245.81	2.9	2.3
Wales city *	66	49	17	54	37	17	66.05	2.4	0.0
White Mountain city *	69	58	11	41	36	5	70.56	2.6	0.3
Balance of Nome C.A.	860	38	822	294	59	235	0.00	22,332.6	5,154.7

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
NOME CENSUS AREA	8,288	5,113	2,023	6,148	9	55	53	106
Brevig Mission city *	198	110	15	183	0	0	0	0
Council *	8	8	3	5	0	0	0	0
Diomede city (Inalik *)	178	103	10	167	0	1	0	0
Elim *	264	147	22	242	0	0	0	0
Elim city	264	147	22	242	0	0	0	0
Gambell city *	525	317	20	505	0	0	0	0
Golovin city *	127	73	9	118	0	0	0	1
Koyuk city *	231	138	11	219	0	1	0	0
Mary's Igloo *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nome city 6/	3,500	2,335	1,574	1,824	6	49	47	95
Port Clarence CDP	26	26	25	0	0	1	0	1
Savoonga city *	519	315	25	494	0	0	0	1
Shaktoolik city *	178	103	10	168	0	0	0	0
Shishmaref city *	456	253	24	431	0	0	1	0
Solomon *	6	6	0	6	0	0	0	0
Stebbins city *	400	196	20	379	1	0	0	1
St. Michael city *	295	158	26	269	0	0	0	1
Teller city * 7/	230	137	20	210	0	0	0	0
Ukivok *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unalakleet city *	714	418	125	584	1	2	2	4
Wales city *	161	97	15	143	0	0	3	2
White Mountain city *	180	107	20	158	1	1	0	0
Balance of Nome C.A.	92	66	49	43	0	0	0	0

6/ The recognized boundaries of Nome were smaller in the 1980 U.S. Census than the actual legal boundaries. This was corrected by the Census Bureau in 1981. In 1982, Nome annexed the unincorporated place of "Icy View" which had 210 residents and Perkinsville CDP. The 1980 population of Nome reflects its current boundaries.

7/ Revised 1990 census number. Teller's 1982 annexation was not included in census geography.

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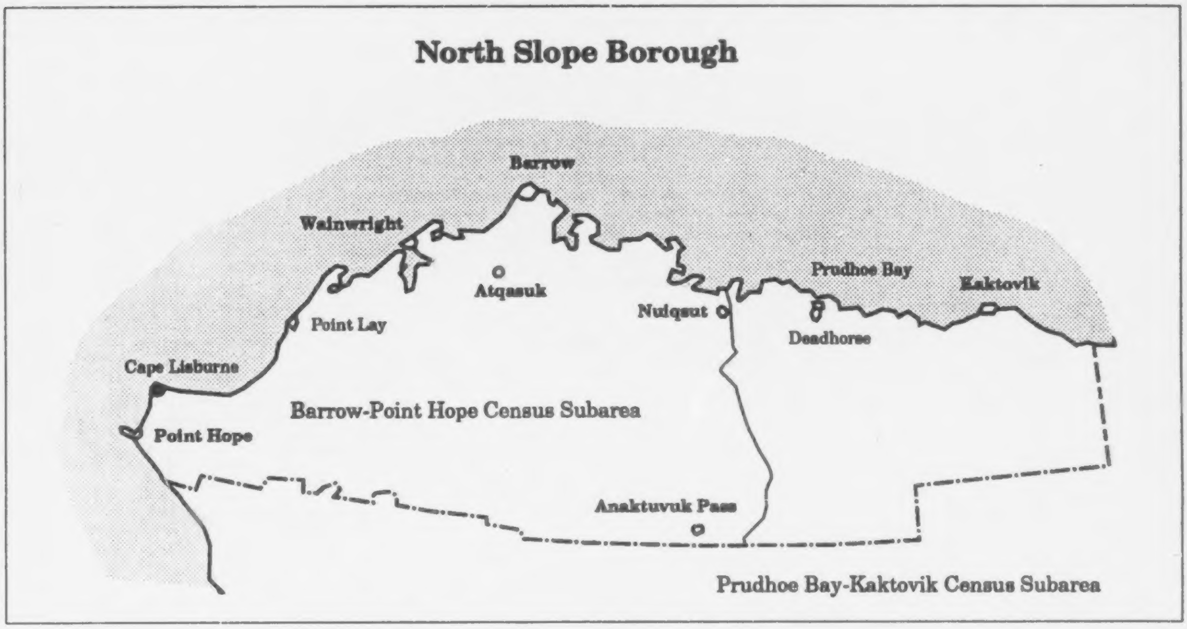
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Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorporated	Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Population Change 1980-90
NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH	1972	5,979	221	3.44	4,199	365	3.91	1,780
Barrow-Point Hope Census Subarea		5,581	56	3.46	3,784	125	3.90	1,797
Anaktuvuk Pass city *	1957	259	0	3.45	203	0	3.98	56
Atqasuk city (Atkasook *)	1983	216	6	4.04	107	0	4.86	109
Barrow city 8/	1959	3,469	32	3.25	2,267	63	3.63	1,202
Barrow *		2,763	21	3.28	2,207	3	3.63	556
Nuiqsut city *	1975	354	0	3.89	208	0	4.16	146
Point Hope city *	1966	639	0	4.47	464	0	4.73	175
Point Lay CDP *		139	9	2.95	68	0	3.78	71
Wainwright city *	1962	492	0	3.70	405	0	4.35	87
Balance of Barrow-Point Hope C.S.A.		13	9	2.00	62	62	0.00	-49
Prudhoe Bay-Kaktovik Census Subarea		398	165	3.15	415	240	4.27	-17
Deadhorse CDP		26	22	2.00	64	63	1.00	-38
Kaktovik city *	1971	224	0	3.34	165	0	4.34	59
Prudhoe Bay CDP		47	47	-	50	45	5.00	-3
Balance of Prudhoe Bay-Kaktovik C.S.A.		101	96	1.00	136	132	4.00	-35

8/ 2,267 is a revised 1980 U.S. Census figure for the City of Barrow. The original number of 2,207 released by the U.S. Census Bureau erroneously excluded 60 people from the city of Barrow.

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Table 4.3

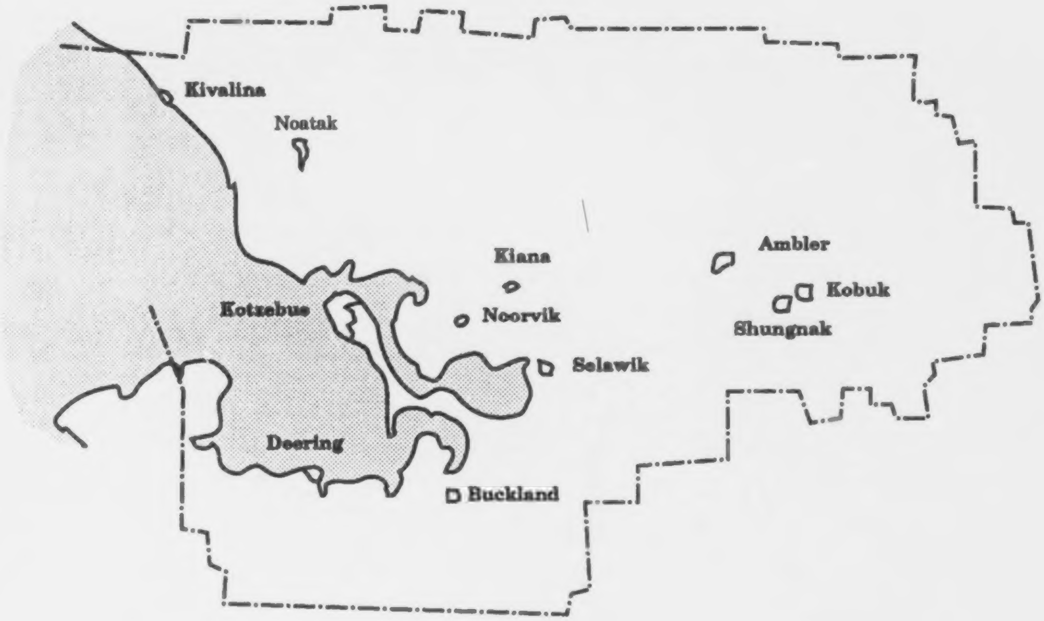
HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH	2,153	1,673	480	1,158	980	178	0.07	87,860.5	5,962.6
Barrow-Point Hope C.S.A.	2,012	1,599	413	1,095	939	156	0.10	58,139.5	4,083.4
Anaktuvuk Pass city *	81	75	6	63	51	12	18.64	13.9	0.1
Atqasuk city (Atkasook *)	64	52	12	24	22	2	5.24	41.2	3.5
Barrow city 8/	1,184	1,059	125	691	607	84	184.31	18.8	2.2
Barrow *	933	835	98	691	607	84	148.19	18.6	2.2
Nuiqsut city *	102	91	11	54	50	4	42.57	8.3	0.0
Point Hope city *	174	143	31	137	98	39	114.51	5.6	0.1
Point Lay CDP *	48	44	4	19	18	1	8.00	17.4	33.1
Wainwright city *	160	133	27	107	93	14	120.70	4.1	11.7
Balance of Barrow-Point Hope C.S.A.	199	2	197	0	0	0	0.00	58,030.2	4,032.7
Prudhoe Bay-Kaktovik C.S.A.	141	74	67	63	41	22	0.01	29,721.0	1,879.2
Deadhorse CDP	2	2	0	1	1	0	0.91	28.6	2.5
Kaktovik city *	82	67	15	60	38	22	267.11	0.8	0.2
Prudhoe Bay CDP	0	0	0	1	1	0	1.36	34.7	12.1
Balance of Prudhoe Bay-Kaktovik C.S.A.	57	5	52	1	1	0	0.00	29,656.9	1,864.4

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH	5,979	3,741	1,274	4,336	41	285	43	124
Barrow-Point Hope Census Subarea	5,581	3,417	1,092	4,131	34	282	42	116
Anaktuvuk Pass city *	259	147	39	220	0	0	0	7
Atqasuk city (Atkasook *)	216	135	13	201	2	0	0	0
Barrow city 8/	3,469	2,213	906	2,217	28	277	41	100
Barrow *	2,763	1,717	742	1,771	18	201	31	80
Nuiqsut city *	354	197	26	328	0	0	0	0
Point Hope city *	639	329	45	587	3	3	1	4
Point Lay CDP *	139	97	24	113	1	1	0	3
Wainwright city *	492	286	28	464	0	0	0	1
Balance of Barrow-Point Hope C.S.A.	13	13	11	1	0	1	0	1
Prudhoe Bay-Kaktovik Census Subarea	398	324	182	205	7	3	1	8
Deadhorse CDP	26	26	22	3	1	0	0	0
Kaktovik city *	224	150	34	189	0	1	0	0
Prudhoe Bay CDP	47	47	41	4	2	0	0	3
Balance of Prudhoe Bay-Kaktovik C.S.A.	101	101	85	9	4	2	1	5



Northwest Arctic Borough

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

Place	Year Incorporated	April 1, 1990 Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	April 1, 1980 Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Population Change 1980-90
NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH 9/	1986	6,113	66	3.96	4,831	48	4.20	1,282
Ambler city *	1971	311	0	4.38	192	0	4.00	119
Buckland city *	1966	318	0	4.61	177	0	4.54	141
Deering city *	1970	157	0	3.57	150	0	4.29	7
Kiana city *	1964	385	0	4.23	345	0	4.60	40
Kivalina city *	1969	317	0	4.73	241	0	6.51	76
Kobuk city *	1973	69	0	3.83	62	0	3.88	7
Kotzebue city *	1958	2,751	50	3.54	2,054	8	3.62	697
Noatak CDP *		333	0	4.50	273	0	4.63	60
Noorvik city	1964	531	0	4.96	492	0	5.41	39
Noorvik *		531	0	4.96	492	0	5.41	39
Selawik city * 10/	1977	596	0	4.62	535	0	5.00	61
Shungnak city *	1967	223	0	4.13	202	0	4.30	21
Balance of Northwest Arctic Borough		122	16	2.79	108	40	3.24	14

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH 9/	1,998	1,526	472	1,486	1,140	346	0.17	35,862.5	4,798.5
Ambler city *	79	71	8	75	48	27	26.86	11.6	1.5
Buckland city *	70	69	1	45	39	6	225.83	1.4	0.0
Deering city *	54	44	10	35	35	0	29.87	5.3	0.0
Kiana city *	124	91	33	107	75	32	1,205.74	0.3	0.0
Kivalina city *	71	67	4	37	37	0	178.56	1.8	3.2
Kobuk city *	24	18	6	37	16	21	4.22	16.4	0.7
Kotzebue city *	911	764	147	690	565	125	102.15	26.9	17.5
Noatak CDP *	85	74	11	78	59	19	18.85	17.7	3.8
Noorvik city	138	107	31	136	91	45	562.49	0.9	0.4
Noorvik *	125	107	18	136	91	45	2,728.75	0.2	0.0
Selawik city * 10/	154	129	25	128	107	21	208.52	2.9	1.1
Shungnak city *	68	54	14	54	47	7	26.13	8.5	1.2
Balance of Northwest Arctic Borough	220	38	182	64	21	43	0.00	35,768.8	4,768.9

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH 9/	6,113	3,481	841	5,209	12	48	3	36
Ambler city *	311	154	30	279	0	1	1	0
Buckland city *	318	154	12	302	0	4	0	0
Deering city *	157	88	9	148	0	0	0	1
Kiana city *	385	199	22	360	0	3	0	0
Kivalina city *	317	170	8	309	0	0	0	0
Kobuk city *	69	32	7	62	0	0	0	0
Kotzebue city *	2,751	1,671	635	2,067	8	39	2	29
Noatak CDP *	333	201	11	322	0	0	0	0
Noorvik city	531	288	32	498	1	0	0	0
Noorvik *	531	288	32	498	1	0	0	0
Selawik city * 10/	596	308	25	569	2	0	0	0
Shungnak city *	223	128	12	211	0	0	0	5
Balance of Northwest Arctic Borough	122	83	38	82	1	1	0	1

9/ The Northwest Arctic Borough matches the old Kobuk Census Area with the addition of 3,298 square miles of unpopulated territory previously included in the North Slope Borough.

10/ 535 is the revised 1980 census figure for Selawik. The original count of 361 was incorrectly released by the U.S. Census Bureau.

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Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area

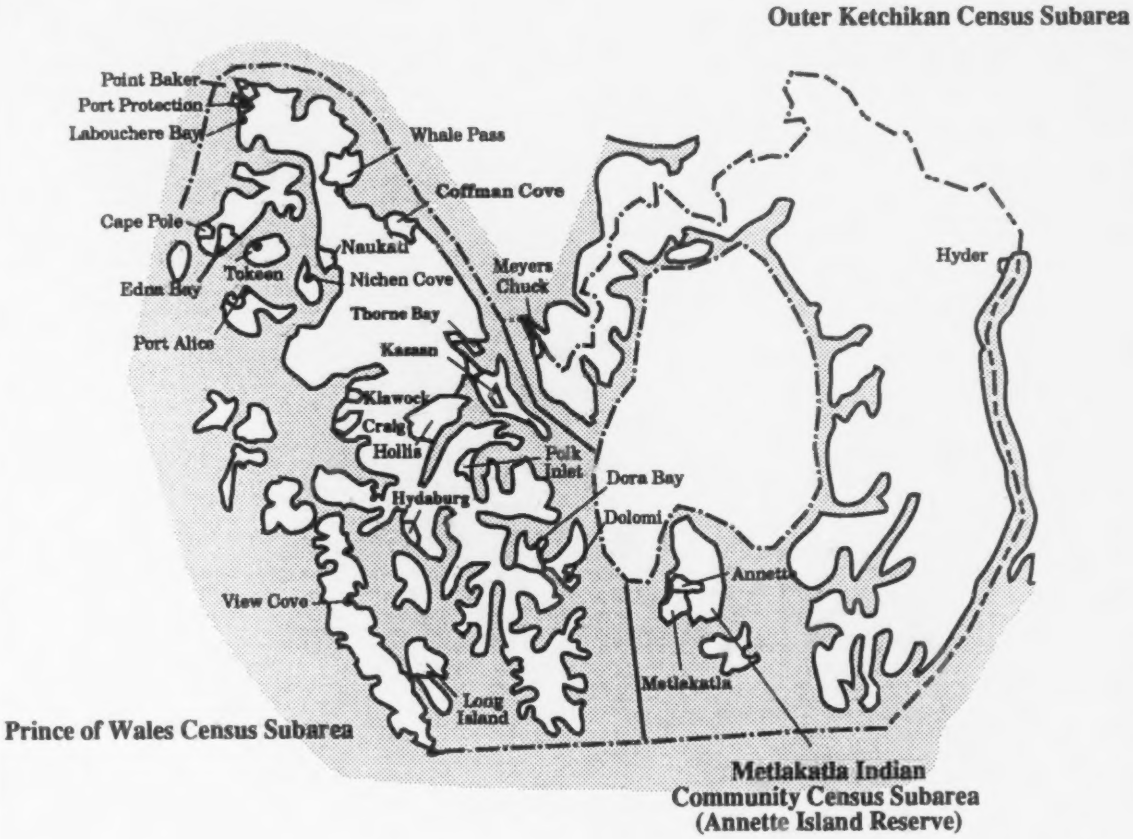
Outer Ketchikan Census Subarea
Point Baker
Port Protection
Labouchere Bay
Whale Pass
Coffman Cove
Cape Pole
Naukati
Edna Bay
Tokeen
Nichen Cove
Meyers Chuck
Port Alice
Thorne Bay
Kasaan
Klawock
Craig
Hollis
Polk Inlet
Dora Bay
Hydaburg
Dolomi
Hyder
Annett
View Cove
Metlakatla
Long Island
Prince of Wales Census Subarea
Metlakatla Indian
Community Census Subarea
(Annette Island Reserve)

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorp-orated	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu-lation Change 1980-90
PRINCE OF WALES-OUTER KETCHIKAN C.A.		6,278	263	2.92	3,822	176	3.25	2,456
Metlakatla Indian Community C.S.A. (Annette Is. Reserve)		1,469	5	3.26	1,195	0	3.72	274
Annette CDP		43	0	3.58	139	0	3.97	-96
Metlakatla CDP		1,407	0	3.27	1,056	0	3.69	351
Balance of Metlakatla C.S.A.		19	5	2.00	0	0	-	19
Outer Ketchikan Census Subarea		157	0	2.38	138	0	2.56	19
Hyder CDP		99	0	2.20	77	0	2.66	22
Meyers Chuck CDP		37	0	2.85	50	0	2.38	-13
Balance of Outer Ketchikan C.S.A.		21	0	2.63	11	0	2.75	10
Prince of Wales Census Subarea		4,652	258	2.84	2,489	176	3.10	2,163
Coffman Cove city	1989	186	12	2.38	193	0	3.11	-7
Craig city *	1922	1,260	1	2.84	527	11	2.93	733
Dora Bay CDP		57	26	2.82	-	-	-	-
Edna Bay CDP		86	0	3.44	6	0	2.00	80
Hollis CDP		111	0	2.58	-	-	-	-
Hydaburg city *	1927	384	0	3.25	298	0	3.07	86
Kasaan city *	1976	54	0	2.84	25	0	2.78	29
Klawock city *	1929	722	0	3.00	318	0	4.03	404
Labouchere Bay CDP		149	21	2.78	-	-	-	-
Long Island CDP		198	52	3.04	-	-	-	-
Naukati Bay CDP		93	16	2.14	-	-	-	-
Point Baker CDP		39	0	1.86	90	0	2.00	-51
Polk Inlet CDP		135	40	3.17	-	-	-	-
Port Alice CDP		30	0	3.00	-	-	-	-
Port Protection CDP		62	0	2.14	-	-	-	-
Thorne Bay city	1982	569	1	2.90	377	0	3.85	192
Whale Pass CDP		75	0	2.68	90	5	3.40	-15
Balance of Prince of Wales C.S.A.		442	89	2.76	565	160	2.66	-123

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
PRINCE OF WALES-OUTER KETCHIKAN C.A.	2,543	2,061	482	1,385	1,121	264	0.86	7,324.5	5,241.9
Metlakatla Indian Community C.S.A. (Annette Is. Reserve)	529	449	80	353	321	32	11.40	128.9	68.1
Annette CDP	40	12	28	42	35	7	3.18	13.5	10.8
Metlakatla CDP	481	430	51	311	286	25	181.39	7.8	4.8
Balance of Metlakatla C.S.A.	8	7	1	0	0	0	0.18	107.6	52.5
Outer Ketchikan C.S.A.	128	66	62	93	54	39	0.04	3,720.7	1,349.9
Hyder CDP	58	45	13	40	29	11	6.51	15.2	1.3
Meyers Chuck CDP	34	13	21	27	21	6	4.55	8.1	2.5
Balance of Outer Ketchikan C.S.A.	36	8	28	26	4	22	0.01	3,697.4	1,346.0
Prince of Wales C.S.A.	1,886	1,546	340	939	746	193	1.34	3,474.8	3,823.9
Coffman Cove city	81	73	8	70	62	8	15.97	11.6	3.6
Craig city *	504	444	60	199	176	23	213.29	5.9	2.6
Dora Bay CDP	11	11	0	-	-	-	2.29	24.9	9.3
Edna Bay CDP	29	25	4	4	3	1	3.20	26.9	9.5
Hollis CDP	71	43	28	-	-	-	2.33	47.7	13.4
Hydaburg city *	135	118	17	122	97	25	765.64	0.5	0.0
Kasaan city *	30	19	11	10	9	1	10.12	5.3	0.0
Klawock city *	281	241	40	95	79	16	2,070.85	0.3	0.3
Labouchere Bay CDP	49	46	3	-	-	-	23.94	6.2	5.5
Long Island CDP	49	48	1	-	-	-	6.62	29.9	35.9
Naukati Bay CDP	41	36	5	-	-	-	14.37	6.5	3.8
Point Baker CDP	28	21	7	56	45	11	49.81	0.8	1.2
Polk Inlet CDP	36	30	6	-	-	-	10.10	13.4	1.8
Port Alice CDP	17	10	7	-	-	-	2.59	11.6	6.6
Port Protection CDP	40	29	11	-	-	-	33.87	1.8	1.3
Thorne Bay city	233	196	37	111	98	13	30.25	18.8	5.2
Whale Pass CDP	40	28	12	31	25	6	2.12	35.4	6.8
Balance of Prince of Wales C.S.A.	211	128	83	241	152	89	0.14	3,227.2	3,717.2

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	**Total Population**	**Total Population 18+**	**White**	**American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut**	**Black**	**Asian and Pacific Islander**	**Other and Unknown Races**	**Hispanic Origin**
PRINCE OF WALES-OUTER KETCHIKAN C.A.	6,278	4,250	3,859	2,358	9	28	24	121
Metlakatla Indian Community C.S.A. (Annette Is. Reserve)	1,469	923	246	1,209	3	4	7	38
Annette CDP	43	25	14	27	2	0	0	0
Metlakatla CDP	1,407	881	220	1,175	1	4	7	37
Balance of Metlakatla C.S.A.	19	17	12	7	0	0	0	1
Outer Ketchikan Census Subarea	157	125	150	7	0	0	0	1
Hyder CDP	99	82	98	1	0	0	0	0
Meyers Chuck CDP	37	26	33	4	0	0	0	1
Balance of Outer Ketchikan C.S.A.	21	17	19	2	0	0	0	0
Prince of Wales Census Subarea	4,652	3,202	3,463	1,142	6	24	17	82
Coffman Cove city	186	138	172	13	0	0	1	2
Craig city *	1,260	830	959	288	0	6	7	30
Dora Bay CDP	57	49	55	2	0	0	0	0
Edna Bay CDP	86	56	86	0	0	0	0	0
Hollis CDP	111	78	106	3	0	2	0	1
Hydaburg city *	384	248	40	342	1	1	0	2
Kasaan city *	54	36	25	29	0	0	0	1
Klawock city *	722	491	324	392	1	4	1	12
Labouchere Bay CDP	149	108	147	2	0	0	0	0
Long Island CDP	198	149	188	9	0	1	0	4
Naukati Bay CDP	93	74	91	1	0	1	0	1
Point Baker CDP	39	35	38	0	1	0	0	0
Polk Inlet CDP	135	97	117	18	0	0	0	0
Port Alice CDP	30	22	28	2	0	0	0	3
Port Protection CDP	62	46	57	1	0	0	4	4
Thorne Bay city	569	373	553	7	0	7	2	13
Whale Pass CDP	75	49	70	2	3	0	0	0
Balance of Prince of Wales C.S.A.	442	323	407	31	0	2	2	9

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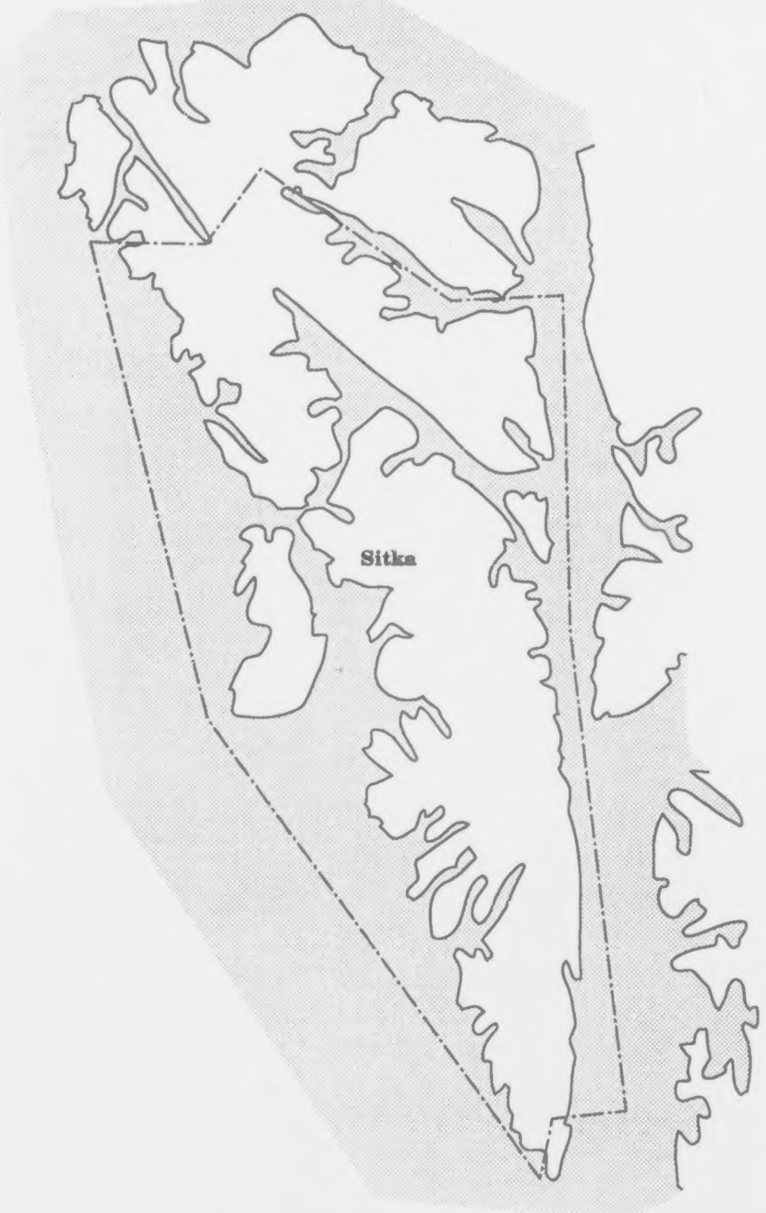

Table 4.2
POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorp-rated	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu-lation Change 1980-90
SITKA BOROUGH	1963/1971	8,588	343	2.81	7,803	367	3.05	785
Sitka City		8,588	343	2.81	7,803	367	3.05	785

Table 4.3
HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
SITKA BOROUGH	3,222	2,939	283	2,694	2,440	254	2.98	2,881.5	1,968.3
Sitka City	3,222	2,939	283	2,694	2,440	254	2.98	2,881.5	1,968.3

Table 4.4
POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Popu-lation	Total Popu-lation 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
SITKA BOROUGH	8,588	5,953	6,359	1,797	39	333	60	209
Sitka City	8,588	5,953	6,359	1,797	39	333	60	209

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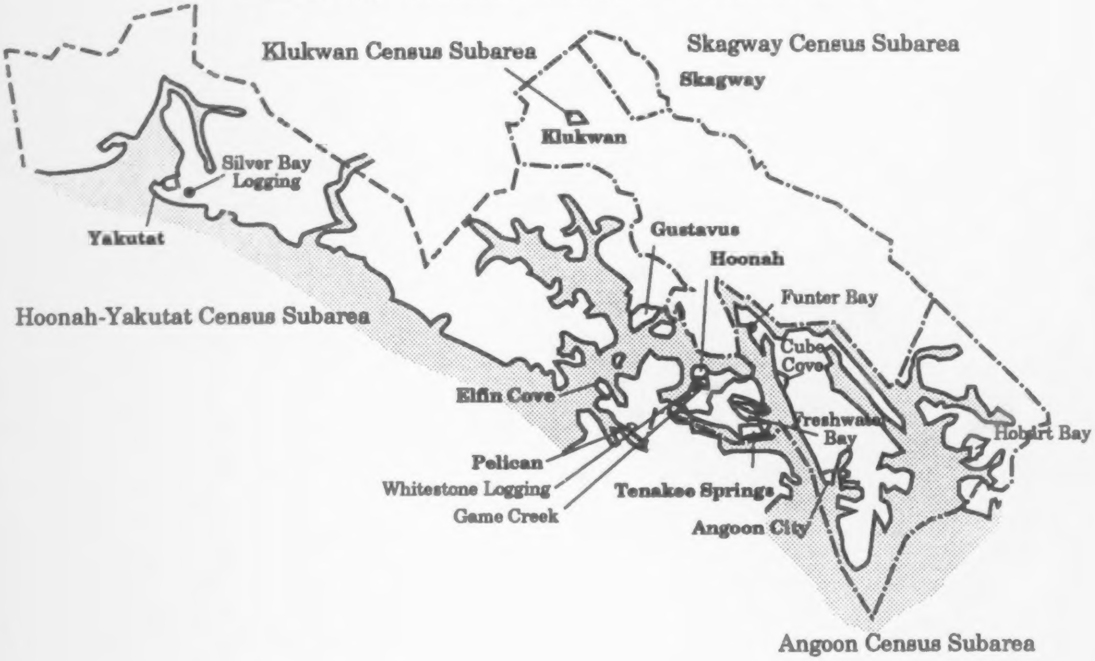
Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area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Hoonah
Funter Bay
Hoonah-Yakutat Census Subarea
Cube Cove
Elfin Cove
Freshwater Bay
Hobart Bay
Pelican
Whitestone Logging
Game Creek
Tenakee Springs
Angoon City
Angoon Census Subarea

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	**Year Incorporated**	**Census Population**	**Census Group Quarters**	**Census Persons Per Household**	**Census Population**	**Census Group Quarters**	**Census Persons Per Household**	**Population Change 1980-90**
SKAGWAY-YAKUTAT-ANGOON CENSUS AREA		4,385	204	2.94	3,478	92	3.11	907
Angoon Census Subarea		1,162	92	3.39	712	58	3.27	450
Angoon City *	1963	638	0	4.09	465	0	4.23	173
Cube Cove CDP		156	39	3.44	-	-	-	-
Freshwater Bay CDP		68	17	4.25	-	-	-	-
Hobart Bay CDP		187	36	2.75	-	-	-	-
Tenakee Springs City *	1971	94	0	1.84	138	0	1.97	-44
Balance of Angoon C.S.A.		19	0	2.38	109	58	2.55	-90
Hoonah-Yakutat Census Subarea		2,402	112	2.92	1,817	34	3.31	585
Elfin Cove CDP		57	0	2.48	28	0	2.15	29
Game Creek CDP		61	0	4.36	-	-	-	-
Gustavus CDP		258	0	2.55	98	0	2.23	160
Hoonah city *	1946	795	4	3.27	680	5	3.99	115
Pelican city	1943	222	36	2.30	180	8	2.69	42
Pelican *		222	36	2.30	-	-	-	-
Whitestone Logging Camp CDP		164	24	3.26	-	-	-	-
Yakutat city *	1948	534	19	2.94	449	0	3.23	85
Balance of Hoonah-Yakutat C.S.A.		311	29	2.66	382	21	3.31	-71
Klukwan Census Subarea		129	0	3.58	135	0	3.38	-6
Klukwan CDP (Chilkat *)		129	0	3.58	135	0	3.38	-6
Skagway Census Subarea		692	0	2.43	814	0	2.63	-122
Skagway city	1900	692	0	2.43	814	0	2.63	-122

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980					
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	April 1 1990 Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
SKAGWAY-YAKUTAT-ANGOON CENSUS AREA	2,102	1,422	680	1,553	1,087	466	0.34	12,880.6	4,619.6
Angoon Census Subarea	468	316	152	292	200	92	0.35	3,355.9	1,931.3
Angoon City *	166	156	10	132	110	22	27.79	23.0	14.1
Cube Cove CDP	38	34	4	-	-	-	13.39	11.6	5.4
Freshwater Bay CDP	12	12	0	-	-	-	2.25	30.2	23.0
Hobart Bay CDP	63	55	8	-	-	-	2.62	71.5	15.8
Tenakee Springs City *	139	51	88	107	70	37	8.03	11.7	5.0
Balance of Angoon C.S.A.	50	8	42	53	20	33	0.01	3,207.9	1,868.1
Hoonah-Yakutat C.S.A.	1,164	785	379	815	538	277	0.26	9,068.1	2,677.2
Elfin Cove CDP	44	23	21	29	13	16	5.00	11.4	10.9
Game Creek CDP	14	14	0	-	-	-	13.20	4.6	3.0
Gustavus CDP	218	101	117	112	44	68	6.81	37.9	17.8
Hoonah city *	268	242	26	183	169	14	599.96	1.3	0.1
Pelican city	98	81	17	80	64	16	415.75	0.5	0.1
Pelican *	98	81	17	80	64	16	661.66	0.3	0.1
Whitestone Logging Camp CDP	50	43	7	-	-	-	19.94	8.2	1.7
Yakutat city *	189	175	14	175	139	36	182.65	2.9	4.7
Balance of Hoonah-Yakutat C.S.A.	283	106	177	236	109	127	0.03	9,001.2	2,638.8
Klukwan Census Subarea	66	36	30	64	40	24	67.37	1.9	0.0
Klukwan CDP (Chilkat *)	66	36	30	64	40	24	67.37	1.9	0.0
Skagway Census Subarea	404	285	119	382	309	73	1.52	454.7	11.1
Skagway city	404	285	119	382	309	73	1.52	454.7	11.1

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
SKAGWAY-YAKUTAT-ANGOON CENSUS AREA	4,385	2,951	2,649	1,670	7	32	27	67
Angoon Census Subarea	1,162	752	587	562	0	7	6	22
Angoon City *	638	365	103	525	0	4	6	12
Cube Cove CDP	156	109	147	9	0	0	0	1
Freshwater Bay CDP	68	41	61	7	0	0	0	1
Hobart Bay CDP	187	142	175	12	0	0	0	4
Tenakee Springs City *	94	80	82	9	0	3	0	3
Balance of Angoon C.S.A.	19	15	19	0	0	0	0	1
Hoonah-Yakutat Census Subarea	2,402	1,622	1,400	958	7	19	18	39
Elfin Cove CDP	57	42	56	1	0	0	0	1
Game Creek CDP	61	27	58	0	3	0	0	2
Gustavus CDP	258	168	248	10	0	0	0	2
Hoonah city *	795	509	253	534	1	2	5	7
Pelican city	222	170	143	65	2	4	8	9
Pelican *	222	170	143	65	2	4	8	9
Whitestone Logging Camp CDP	164	114	158	6	0	0	0	2
Yakutat city *	534	364	227	294	1	9	3	6
Balance of Hoonah-Yakutat C.S.A.	311	228	257	48	0	4	2	10
Klukwan Census Subarea	129	76	16	112	0	0	1	2
Klukwan CDP (Chilkat *)	129	76	16	112	0	0	1	2
Skagway Census Subarea	692	501	646	38	0	6	2	4
Skagway city	692	501	646	38	0	6	2	4

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Southeast Fairbanks Census Area

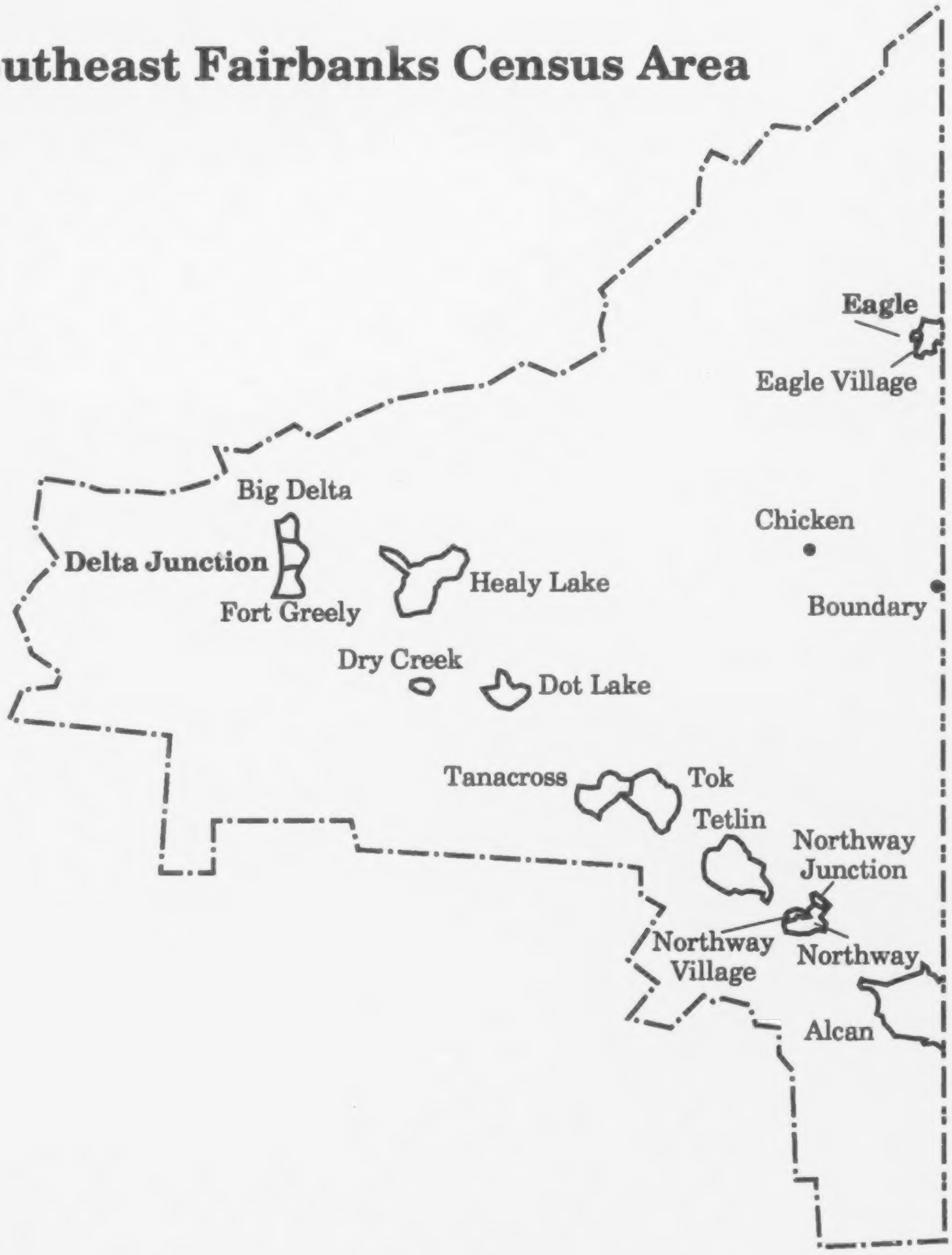
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Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorp-orated	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu-lation Change 1980-90
SOUTHEAST FAIRBANKS CENSUS AREA		5,913	270	2.96	5,676	399	3.17	237
Alcan CDP		27	0	2.70	-	-	-	-
Big Delta CDP		400	18	2.98	285	0	3.03	115
Delta Junction city	1960	652	0	2.66	945	0	2.72	-293
Dot Lake CDP		70	6	3.05	67	12	3.93	3
Dot Lake *		53	0	2.94	67	12	3.93	-14
Dry Creek CDP		106	0	4.08	-	-	-	-
Eagle city	1901	168	0	2.55	110	0	2.29	58
Eagle Village CDP (Eagle *) 11/		35	0	1.75	54	0	2.70	-19
Fort Greely CDP 12/		1,299	142	3.39	1,635	351	3.94	-336
Healy Lake CDP *		47	0	3.36	33	0	3.00	14
Northway CDP		123	0	3.84	73	0	2.92	50
Northway Junction CDP		88	0	3.52	-	-	-	-
Northway Village CDP (Northway *)		113	0	3.77	112	0	3.73	1
Tanacross CDP *		106	0	3.03	117	0	3.66	-11
Tetlin CDP *		87	0	3.11	107	0	3.96	-20
Tok CDP *		935	0	2.55	589	5	3.04	346
Balance of Southeast Fairbanks C.A.		1,657	104	2.98	1,512	31	2.97	145

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
SOUTHEAST FAIRBANKS CENSUS AREA	3,149	1,909	1,240	2,450	1,666	784	0.23	25,994.1	241.3
Alcan CDP	27	10	17	-	-	-	0.18	153.9	0.7
Big Delta CDP	179	128	51	118	94	24	21.52	18.6	1.5
Delta Junction city	413	245	168	473	348	125	42.30	15.4	0.0
Dot Lake CDP	30	21	9	25	14	11	1.90	36.9	0.0
Dot Lake *	23	18	5	25	14	11	57.27	0.9	0.0
Dry Creek CDP	27	26	1	-	-	-	22.55	4.7	0.0
Eagle city	146	66	80	96	48	48	123.51	1.4	0.0
Eagle Village CDP (Eagle *) 11/	36	20	16	25	20	5	1.04	33.8	2.7
Fort Greely CDP 12/	369	341	28	326	326	0	27.27	47.6	1.6
Healy Lake CDP *	47	14	33	39	11	28	0.29	159.3	12.4
Northway CDP	38	32	6	27	25	2	6.93	17.8	2.0
Northway Junction CDP	29	25	4	-	-	-	21.28	4.1	0.0
Northway Village CDP (Northway *)	37	30	7	36	30	6	26.92	4.2	0.4
Tanacross CDP *	53	35	18	49	32	17	1.35	78.4	1.0
Tetlin CDP *	47	28	19	35	27	8	0.57	152.9	16.3
Tok CDP *	561	367	194	259	192	67	7.03	133.0	0.0
Balance of Southeast Fairbanks C.A.	1,110	521	589	942	499.0	443.0	0.07	25,132.1	202.7

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
SOUTHEAST FAIRBANKS CENSUS AREA	5,913	3,805	4,670	770	290	82	101	177
Alcan CDP	27	19	26	0	0	0	1	1
Big Delta CDP	400	245	381	16	1	2	0	1
Delta Junction city	652	429	592	29	20	9	2	13
Dot Lake CDP	70	40	32	38	0	0	0	1
Dot Lake *	53	34	22	31	0	0	0	0
Dry Creek CDP	106	61	87	0	0	0	19	19
Eagle city	168	116	163	5	0	0	0	2
Eagle Village CDP (Eagle *) 11/	35	29	7	28	0	0	0	0
Fort Greely CDP 12/	1,299	804	935	12	247	40	65	100
Healy Lake CDP *	47	29	7	40	0	0	0	0
Northway CDP	123	74	44	79	0	0	0	0
Northway Junction CDP	88	47	26	62	0	0	0	1
Northway Village CDP (Northway *)	113	61	5	107	0	0	1	6
Tanacross CDP *	106	72	6	100	0	0	0	0
Tetlin CDP *	87	60	4	83	0	0	0	0
Tok CDP *	935	647	801	117	3	4	10	21
Balance of Southeast Fairbanks C.A.	1,657	1,072	1,554	54	19	27	3	12

11/ 1980 Eagle ANV included both Eagle city and Eagle Village. The 1990 ANVSA includes only Eagle Village.

12/ The 1990 census erroneously put 152 persons from Ft. Greely in the balance of the census area.

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Valdez-Cordova Census Area

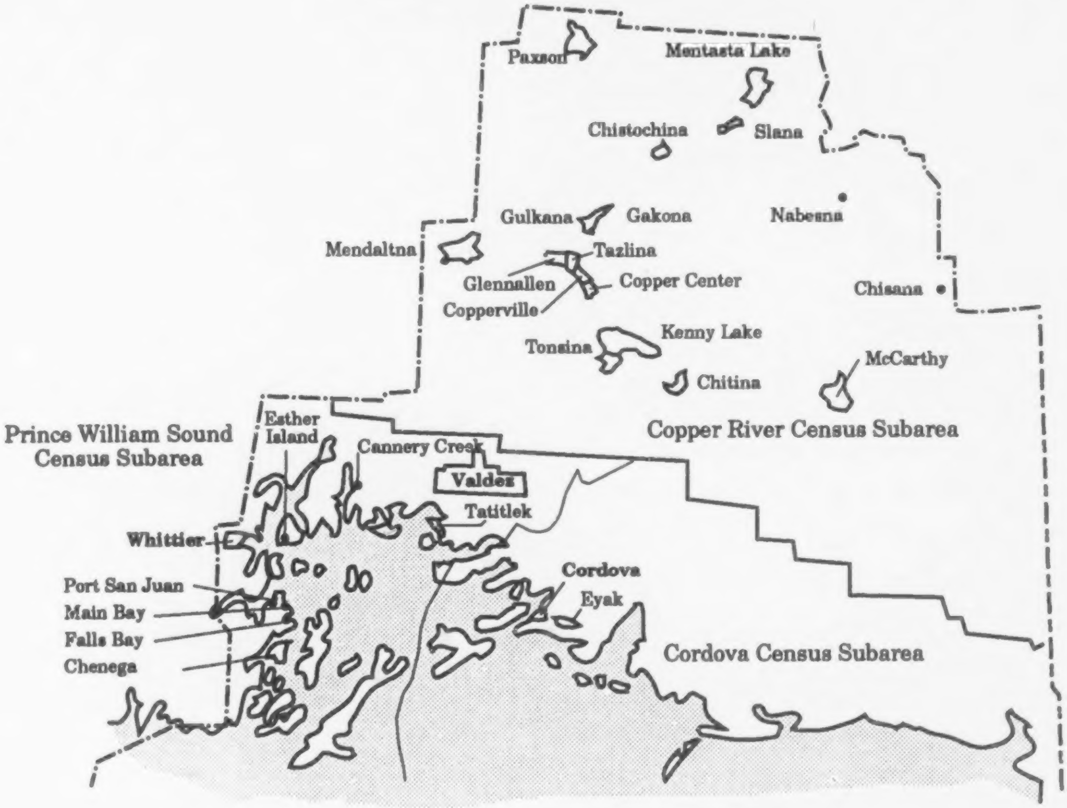
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Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorporated	Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Population	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Population Change 1980-90
VALDEZ-CORDOVA CENSUS AREA		9,952	588	2.73	8,348	702	2.84	1,604
Copper River Census Subarea		2,763	98	2.63	2,721	219	2.96	42
Chistochina CDP *		60	0	3.00	55	0	3.67	5
Chitina CDP *		49	0	2.23	42	0	2.21	7
Copper Center CDP *		449	0	2.70	213	0	2.77	236
Copperville CDP		163	0	3.33	-	-	-	-
Gakona CDP *		25	0	3.57	87	0	3.22	-62
Glennallen CDP		451	10	2.71	511	23	2.92	-60
Gulkana CDP *		103	0	2.45	104	0	3.25	-1
Kenny Lake CDP		423	65	2.82	-	-	-	-
McCarthy CDP		25	0	2.08	23	0	1.92	2
Mendaltna CDP		37	0	2.47	-	-	-	-
Mentasta Lake CDP *		96	0	2.91	59	0	4.92	37
Paxson CDP		30	0	2.31	30	0	2.50	0
Slana CDP *		63	0	2.52	49	0	3.06	14
Tazlina * 13/		247	0	3.09	31	0	2.38	216
Tonsina CDP		38	0	2.92	135	11	3.02	-97
Balance of Copper River C.S.A.		504	23	2.12	1,382	185	2.98	-878
Cordova Census Subarea		2,579	96	2.66	2,241	135	2.72	338
Cordova city	1909	2,110	93	2.61	1,879	126	2.67	231
Ships in Port		61	61	-	56	56	-	5
Eyak CDP *		172	0	3.13	47	0	3.36	125
Balance of Cordova C.S.A.		297	3	2.77	315	9	2.97	-18
Prince William Sound Census Subarea		4,610	394	2.85	3,386	348	2.84	1,224
Chenega CDP *		94	6	3.03	-	-	-	-
Tatitlek CDP *		119	0	3.61	68	0	2.96	51
Valdez city	1901	4,068	361	2.90	3,079	324	2.88	989
Ships in Port		228	228	-	-	-	-	-
Whittier city	1969	243	1	2.16	198	13	2.40	45
Ships in Port		1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Balance of Prince William Sound C.S.A.		86	26	2.31	41	11	2.31	45

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
VALDEZ-CORDOVA CENSUS AREA	5,196	3,425	1,771	4,145	2,689	1,456	0.27	36,945.4	6,570.3
Copper River C.S.A.	2,097	1,014	1,083	1,784	845	939	0.11	24,663.2	337.9
Chistochina CDP *	34	20	14	31	15	16	3.55	16.9	0.0
Chitina CDP *	37	22	15	56	19	37	1.71	28.6	1.4
Copper Center CDP *	244	166	78	125	77	48	21.07	21.3	0.4
Copperville CDP	55	49	6	-	-	-	50.20	3.2	0.5
Gakona CDP *	12	7	5	39	27	12	20.67	1.2	0.0
Glennallen CDP	206	163	43	234	167	67	23.99	18.8	0.0
Gulkana CDP *	60	42	18	51	32	19	8.59	12.0	0.0
Kenny Lake CDP	250	127	123	-	-	-	3.81	111.1	1.2
McCarthy CDP	66	12	54	50	12	38	0.25	101.4	1.3
Mendaltna CDP	35	15	2[illegible]	-	-	0	0.55	67.3	1.3
Mentasta Lake CDP *	51	33	18	21	12	9	1.22	78.4	1.9
Paxson CDP	24	13	11	13	12	1	0.59	50.7	5.5
Slana CDP *	33	25	8	30	16	14	3.64	17.3	0.4
Tazlina * 13/	99	80	19	30	13	17	19.30	12.8	0.7
Tonsina CDP	22	13	9	77	41	36	1.71	22.2	0.0
Balance of Copper River C.S.A.	869	227	642	1,027	402	625	0.02	24,100.0	323.2
Cordova Census Subarea	1,179	934	245	885	774	111	0.31	8,200.2	2,753.4
Cordova city	883	773	110	728	657	71	456.59	4.6	2.0
Ships in Port	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eyak CDP *	62	55	7	16	14	2	13.10	13.1	0.9
Balance of Cordova C.S.A.	234	106	128	141	103	38	0.04	8,182.5	2,750.4
Prince William Sound C.S.A.	1,920	1,477	443	1,476	1,070	406	1.13	4,081.9	3,479.0
Chenega CDP *	34	29	5	-	-	-	3.27	28.8	25.4
Tatitlek CDP *	52	33	19	30	23	7	21.21	5.6	2.7
Valdez city	1,499	1,277	222	1,147	957	190	18.59	218.8	54.6
Ships in Port	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Whittier city	265	112	153	282	77	205	20.43	11.9	6.6
Ships in Port	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance of Prince William Sound C.S.A.	70	26	44	17	13	4	0.02	3,816.8	3,389.7

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
VALDEZ-CORDOVA CENSUS AREA	9,952	7,048	8,247	1,245	57	324	79	270
Copper River Census Subarea	2,763	1,886	2,210	536	7	8	2	47
Chistochina CDP *	60	40	23	37	0	0	0	0
Chitina CDP *	49	34	25	23	1	0	0	0
Copper Center CDP *	449	305	294	155	0	0	0	4
Copperville CDP	163	98	118	43	1	1	0	3
Gakona CDP *	25	14	25	0	0	0	0	0
Glennallen CDP	451	310	420	30	0	1	0	2
Gulkana CDP *	103	68	42	61	0	0	0	1
Kenny Lake CDP	423	267	377	41	0	4	1	28
McCarthy CDP	25	21	24	1	0	0	0	0
Mendaltna CDP	37	26	35	2	0	0	0	0
Mentasta Lake CDP *	96	65	26	70	0	0	0	0
Paxson CDP	30	23	29	0	1	0	0	0
Slana CDP *	63	43	59	4	0	0	0	0
Tazlina * 13/	247	154	188	57	1	1	0	8
Tonsina CDP	38	24	31	7	0	0	0	0
Balance of Copper River C.S.A.	504	394	494	5	3	1	1	1
Cordova Census Subarea	2,579	1,862	2,102	272	8	176	21	84
Cordova city	2,110	1,544	1,678	237	8	170	17	77
Ships in Port	61	61	57	1	0	1	2	7
Eyak CDP *	172	108	156	13	0	1	2	5
Balance of Cordova C.S.A.	297	210	268	22	0	5	2	2
Prince William Sound Census Subarea	4,610	3,300	3,935	437	42	140	56	139
Chenega CDP *	94	58	29	65	0	0	0	0
Tatitlek CDP *	119	74	16	103	0	0	0	0
Valdez city	4,068	2,902	3,609	239	38	128	54	129
Ships in Port	228	228	203	2	13	4	6	14
Whittier city	243	188	196	30	4	11	2	10
Ships in Port	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Balance of Prince William Sound C.S.A.	86	78	85	0	0	1	0	0

13/ Tazlina was erroneously placed on the 1980 map at the 1990 location of Mendaltna CDP.

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Wade Hampton Census Area

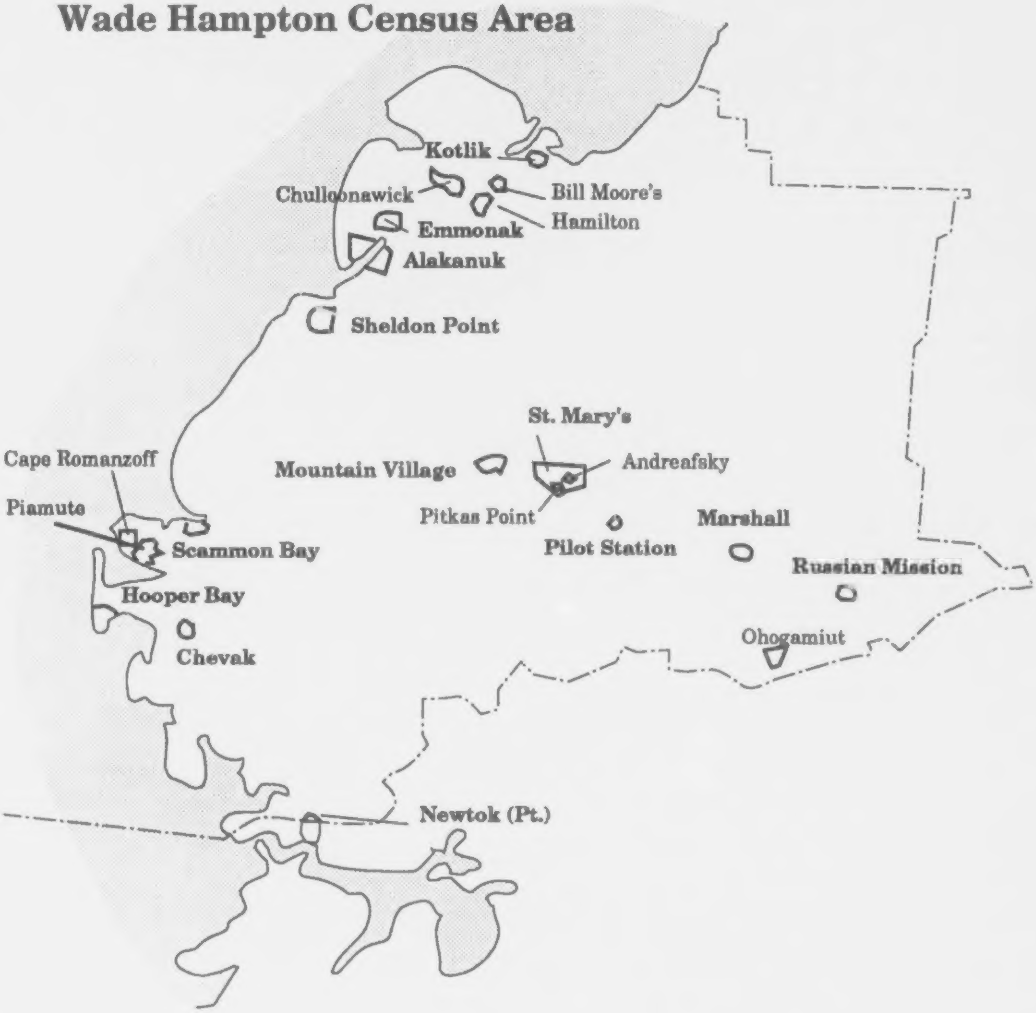
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Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorp-orated	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu-lation Change 1980-90
WADE HAMPTON CENSUS AREA		5,791	0	4.23	4,665	55	4.87	1,126
Alakanuk city *	1969	544	0	4.50	522	0	4.97	22
Bill Moore's *		0	0	-	-	-	-	-
Chevak city *	1967	598	0	4.07	466	0	5.07	132
Chulloonawick *		0	0	-	-	-	-	-
Emmonak city *	1964	642	0	3.99	567	3	4.44	75
Hamilton *		0	0	-	-	-	-	-
Hooper Bay city *	1966	845	0	4.45	627	0	5.02	218
Kotlik city *	1970	461	0	4.56	293	0	4.97	168
Marshall city *	1970	273	0	3.90	262	0	4.09	11
Mountain Village city *	1967	674	0	4.55	583	0	5.45	91
Newtok city (pt.) * (Inactive)		0	0	-	0	0	-	0
Ohogamiut *		0	0	-	0	0	-	0
Paimute *		0	0	-	1	0	1.00	-1
Pilot Station city *	1969	463	0	4.63	325	5	5.25	138
Pitkas Point CDP *		135	0	3.65	88	0	3.67	47
Russian Mission city *	1970	246	0	4.39	169	0	4.12	77
Scammon Bay city *	1967	343	0	4.04	250	0	5.32	93
Sheldon Point city *	1974	109	0	4.04	103	0	5.15	6
St. Mary's city	1967	441	0	3.74	382	28	4.92	59
Andreafsky *		410	0	3.73	100	0	4.76	310
St. Mary's *		31	0	3.88	282	28	4.98	-251
Balance of Wade Hampton C.A.		17	0	4.25	27	19	4.00	-10

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
WADE HAMPTON C.A.	1,882	1,368	514	1,173	947	226	0.34	17,124.1	2,556.0
Alakanuk city *	140	121	19	132	105	27	15.68	34.7	6.0
Bill Moore's *	3	3	0	2	0	2	0.00	1.6	0.1
Chevak city *	164	147	17	103	92	11	386.34	1.5	0.0
Chulloonawick *	10	0	10	-	-	-	0.00	15.8	3.9
Emmonak city *	172	161	11	161	127	34	102.95	6.2	0.8
Hamilton *	6	0	6	4	0	4	0.00	4.6	0.2
Hooper Bay city *	203	190	13	151	125	26	99.25	8.5	0.0
Kotlik city *	109	101	8	78	59	19	131.08	3.5	1.0
Marshall city *	83	70	13	82	64	18	60.78	4.5	0.0
Mountain Village city *	191	148	43	119	107	12	155.13	4.3	1.3
Newtok city (pt.) * (Inactive)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	2.4	0.0
Ohogamiut *	2	0	2	1	0	1	0.00	6.7	2.0
Paimute *	2	0	2	3	1	2	0.00	25.2	2.4
Pilot Station city *	123	100	23	74	61	13	308.03	1.5	0.5
Pitkas Point CDP *	47	37	10	33	24	9	128.78	1.0	1.5
Russian Mission city *	58	56	2	41	41	0	48.30	5.1	0.5
Scammon Bay city *	99	85	14	53	47	6	479.16	0.7	0.1
Sheldon Point city *	33	27	6	31	20	11	8.23	13.2	5.2
St. Mary's city	154	118	36	88	72	16	10.55	41.8	5.7
Andreafsky *	138	110	28	28	21	7	164.38	2.5	0.1
St. Mary's *	16	8	8	60	51	9	0.79	39.3	5.5
Balance of Wade Hampton C.A.	283	4	279	17	2	15	0.00	16,940.9	2,524.7

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	**Total Population**	**Total Population 18+**	**White**	**American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut**	**Black**	**Asian and Pacific Islander**	**Other and Unknown Races**	**Hispanic Origin**
WADE HAMPTON CENSUS AREA	5,791	3,137	346	5,405	12	23	5	17
Alakanuk city *	544	302	23	521	0	0	0	1
Bill Moore's *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chevak city *	598	311	30	556	5	6	1	2
Chulloonawick *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Emmonak city *	642	377	43	591	2	4	2	4
Hamilton *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hooper Bay city *	845	448	33	811	0	1	0	0
Kotlik city *	461	246	13	447	1	0	0	0
Marshall city *	273	159	15	253	2	3	0	2
Mountain Village city *	674	360	55	614	2	2	1	2
Newtok city (pt.) * (Inactive)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ohogamiut *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Paimute *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pilot Station city *	463	237	22	440	0	1	0	3
Pitkas Point CDP *	135	74	6	129	0	0	0	0
Russian Mission city *	246	117	13	233	0	0	0	0
Scammon Bay city *	343	175	10	331	0	1	1	1
Sheldon Point city *	109	58	5	101	0	3	0	1
St. Mary's city	441	262	73	366	0	2	0	1
Andreafsky *	410	242	62	346	0	2	0	1
St. Mary's *	31	20	11	20	0	0	0	0
Balance of Wade Hampton C.A.	17	11	5	12	0	0	0	0

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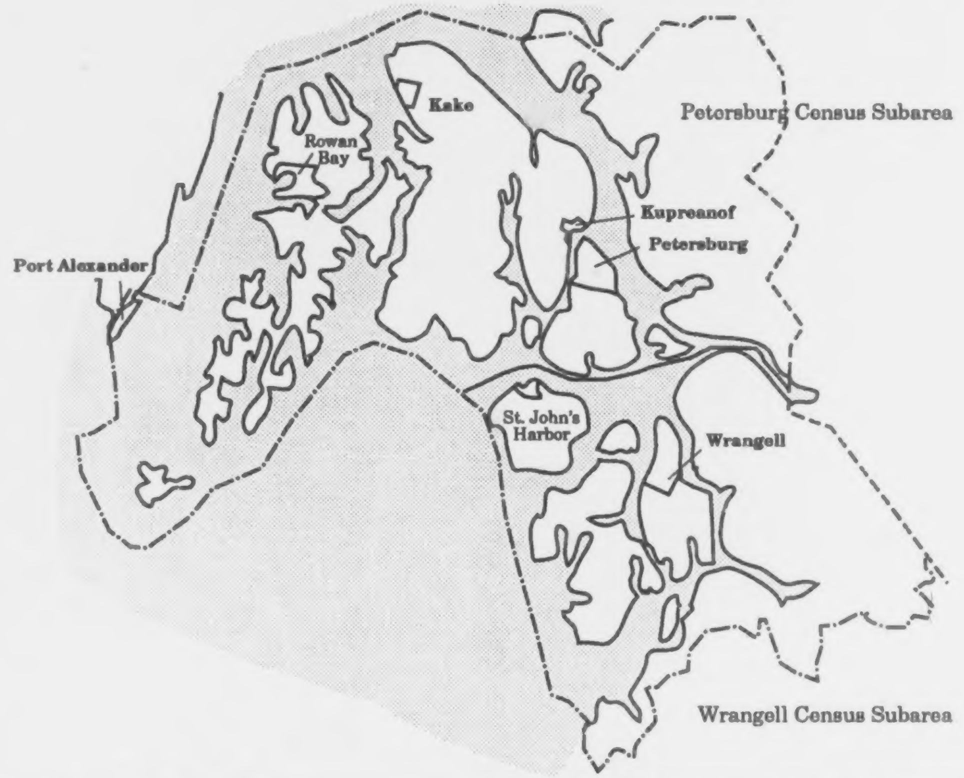
Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area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Port Alexander
St. John's Harbor
Wrangell
Wrangell Census Subarea

Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorp-rated	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu-lation Change 1980-90
WRANGELL-PETERSBURG CENSUS AREA		7,042	178	2.73	6,167	173	2.89	875
Petersburg Census Subarea		4,407	125	2.80	3,804	91	2.94	603
Kake city *	1952	700	9	3.14	555	7	3.75	145
Kupreanof city	1975	23	0	1.92	47	0	2.24	-24
Petersburg city	1910	3,207	63	2.77	2,821	38	2.84	386
Port Alexander city	1974	119	0	3.05	86	0	2.32	33
Rowan Bay CDP		133	35	2.97	-	-	-	-
Balance of Petersburg C.S.A.		225	18	2.35	295	46	3.07	-70
Wrangell Census Subarea		2,635	53	2.62	2,363	82	2.82	272
St. John's Harbor CDP		69	26	2.53	-	-	-	-
Wrangell city	1903	2,479	11	2.62	2,184	50	2.82	295
Balance of Wrangell C.S.A.		87	16	2.54	179	32	2.94	-92

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

Place	April 1, 1990 Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	April 1, 1980 Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	April 1 1990 Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
WRANGELL-PETERSBURG CENSUS AREA	3,005	2,514	491	2,363	2,072	291	1.21	5,808.5	3,165.2
Petersburg Census Subarea	1,861	1,527	334	1,457	1,264	193	1.25	3,525.2	2,413.5
Kake city *	265	220	45	181	146	35	87.46	8.0	5.8
Kupreanof city	32	12	20	26	21	5	3.73	6.2	2.2
Petersburg city	1,222	1,135	87	1,074	979	95	73.88	43.4	5.3
Port Alexander city	64	39	25	51	37	14	35.94	3.3	11.7
Rowan Bay CDP	42	33	9	-	-	-	4.14	32.1	11.9
Balance of Petersburg C.S.A.	236	88	148	125	81	44	0.07	3,432.2	2,376.7
Wrangell Census Subarea	1,144	987	157	906	808	98	1.15	2,283.3	751.7
St. John's Harbor CDP	20	17	3	-	-	-	15.47	4.5	5.7
Wrangell city	1,054	942	112	835	758	77	42.09	58.9	33.7
Balance of Wrangell C.S.A.	70	28	42	71	50	21	0.04	2,220.0	712.4

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	Race: White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Ethnicity: Hispanic Origin
WRANGELL-PETERSBURG CENSUS AREA	7,042	4,870	5,544	1,367	11	94	26	119
Petersburg Census Subarea	4,407	3,019	3,445	860	3	76	23	77
Kake city *	700	445	186	514	0	0	0	1
Kupreanof city	23	20	23	0	0	0	0	0
Petersburg city	3,207	2,217	2,777	334	3	73	20	66
Port Alexander city	119	69	115	3	0	0	1	3
Rowan Bay CDP	133	102	123	9	0	1	0	1
Balance of Petersburg C.S.A.	225	166	221	0	0	2	2	6
Wrangell Census Subarea	2,635	1,851	2,099	507	8	18	3	42
St. John's Harbor CDP	69	58	68	1	0	0	0	0
Wrangell city	2,479	1,728	1,954	496	8	18	3	41
Balance of Wrangell C.S.A.	87	65	77	10	0	0	0	1

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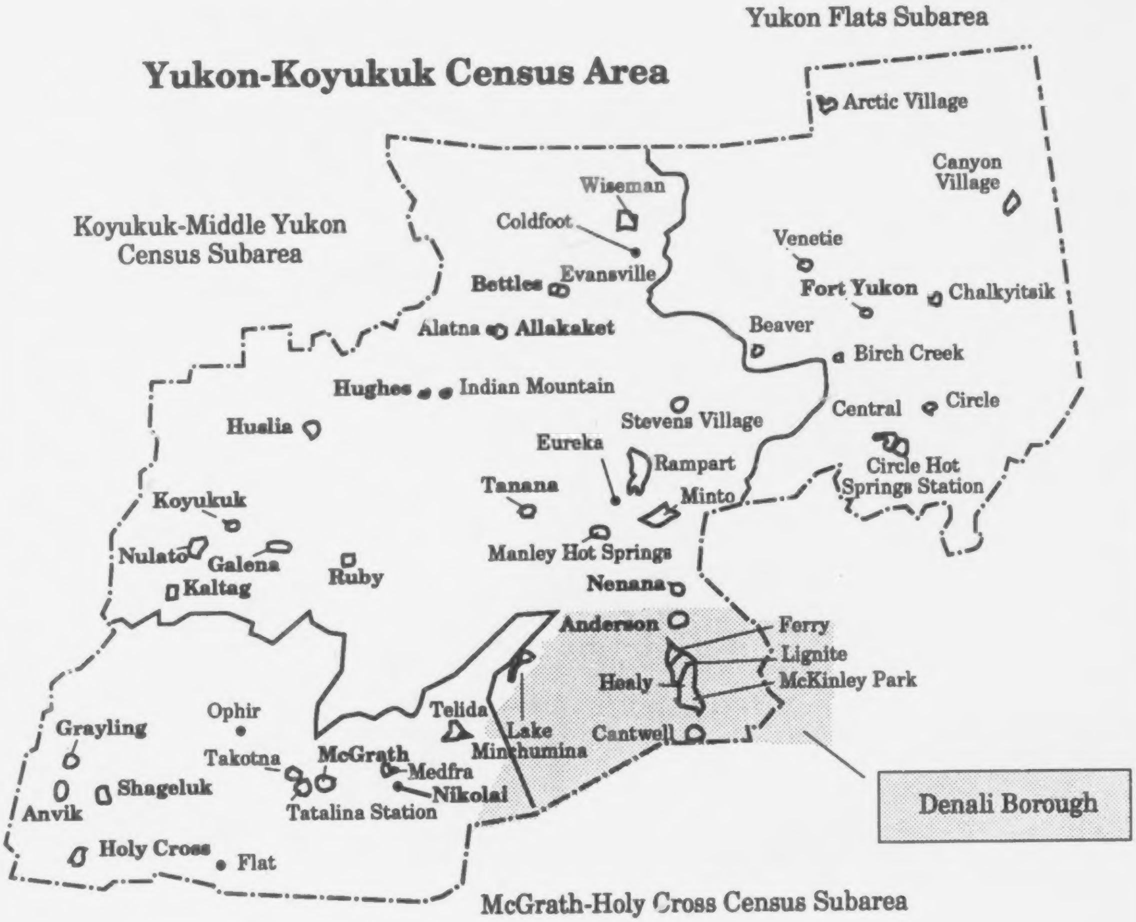
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Yukon Flats Subarea
Koyukuk-Middle Yukon Census Subarea
McGrath-Holy Cross Census Subarea
Denali Borough
Arctic Village
Canyon Village
Wiseman
Coldfoot
Evansville
Bettles
Venetie
Fort Yukon
Chalkyitsik
Alatna
Allakaket
Beaver
Birch Creek
Hughes
Indian Mountain
Central
Circle
Huslia
Stevens Village
Eureka
Rampart
Circle Hot Springs Station
Tanana
Minto
Koyukuk
Manley Hot Springs
Nulato
Galena
Ruby
Kaltag
Nenana
Anderson
Ferry
Lignite
Healy
McKinley Park
Ophir
Telida
Lake Minchumina
Cantwell
Grayling
Takotna
McGrath
Medfra
Nikolai
Anvik
Shageluk
Tatalina Station
Holy Cross
Flat

14/ Denali Borough was formed out of the area between Anderson and the Matanuska Susitna Border, including Denali National Park, Dec 7, 1990.

15/ Galena ANV excluded the Air Force base in 1980. The 1990 ANVSA includes it.

16/ Fort Yukon ANV in 1980 excluded the Air Force Remote Station. The station is no longer active.

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Table 4.2

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD COUNTS BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE 1980-1990

		April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			
Place	Year Incorp-orated	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Census Popu-lation	Census Group Quarters	Census Persons Per Household	Popu-lation Change 1980-90
YUKON-KOYUKUK CENSUS AREA		8,478	567	2.88	7,873	614	3.18	605
Koyukuk-Middle Yukon Census Subarea 14/		5,692	559	2.84	5,323	539	2.95	369
Allakaket city	1975	170	0	2.83	163	0	3.54	7
Alatna *		31	0	2.38	30	0	3.75	1
Allakaket *		138	0	3.00	133	0	3.50	5
Anderson city	1962	628	228	2.96	517	127	3.31	111
Cantwell CDP *		147	0	2.37	89	0	3.07	58
Evansville *		69	0	2.16	94	0	3.03	-25
Bettles city	1985	36	0	1.89	49	0	N/A	-13
Evansville CDP		33	0	2.54	45	0	N/A	-12
Ferry CDP		56	0	2.43	-	-	-	-
Galena city	1971	833	303	2.79	765	302	3.19	68
Galena * 15/		833	303	2.79	289	0	3.61	544
Healy CDP		487	0	3.02	334	0	3.27	153
Hughes city *	1973	54	0	2.45	73	0	3.32	-19
Huslia city *	1969	207	0	3.34	188	0	3.19	19
Kaltag city *	1969	240	0	3.81	247	0	4.26	-7
Koyukuk city *	1973	126	0	3.15	98	0	3.77	28
Lake Minchumina CDP *		32	0	2.67	22	0	2.44	10
Lignite CDP		99	0	2.68	-	-	-	-
Manley Hot Springs CDP *		96	0	2.09	61	0	2.18	35
McKinley Park CDP		171	0	1.97	60	0	1.58	111
Minto CDP *		218	0	3.30	153	0	3.06	65
Nenana city *	1921	393	0	2.81	470	0	2.88	-77
Nulato city *	1963	359	0	3.99	350	0	4.93	9
Rampart CDP *		68	0	2.83	50	0	3.57	18
Ruby city *	1973	170	0	2.79	197	0	3.13	-27
Stevens Village CDP		102	0	2.76	96	0	3.20	6
Stevens Village *		102	0	2.76	96	0	3.20	6
Tanana city *	1961	345	13	2.70	388	12	3.19	-43
Wiseman *		33	0	3.00	8	0	1.60	25
Balance of Koyukuk-Middle Yukon C.S.A.		589	15	2.59	900	98	2.02	-311
McGrath-Holy Cross Census Subarea		1,448	7	3.14	1,343	40	3.33	105
Anvik city *	1969	82	0	2.56	114	0	3.17	-32
Grayling city *	1969	208	0	4.08	209	0	4.02	-1
Holy Cross city *	1968	277	0	3.22	241	0	3.83	36
McGrath city *	1975	528	0	3.02	355	0	2.75	173
Medfra *		0	0	-	15	0	2.50	-15
Nikolai city *	1970	109	0	2.73	91	0	4.14	18
Shageluk city *	1970	139	0	3.31	131	0	3.74	8
Takotna CDP *		38	0	2.53	48	0	2.82	-10
Telida *		11	0	3.67	33	0	4.13	-22
Balance of McGrath-Holy Cross C.S.A.		56	7	5.44	75	0	3.26	-19
Yukon Flats Census Subarea		1,338	1	2.77	1,207	35	3.15	131
Arctic Village CDP *		96	0	2.67	111	0	3.17	-15
Beaver CDP *		103	0	2.40	66	0	2.87	37
Birch Creek CDP *		42	0	2.80	32	0	2.46	10
Canyon Village *		0	0	-	-	-	-	-
Central CDP		52	0	1.93	36	0	1.89	16
Chalkyitsik CDP *		90	0	2.73	100	0	3.45	-10
Circle CDP *		73	0	3.17	81	0	4.50	-8
Circle Hot Springs Station CDP		29	0	2.07	-	-	-	-
Fort Yukon city	1959	580	0	2.83	619	33	3.13	-39
Fort Yukon * 16/		580	0	2.83	586	0	3.13	-6
Venetie CDP *		182	0	3.64	132	0	3.67	50
Balance of Yukon Flats C.S.A.		91	1	2.43	30	2	2.33	61

Table 4.3

HOUSING UNIT COUNTS, AREA AND POPULATION DENSITY BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1980-1990

	April 1, 1990			April 1, 1980			April 1 1990		
Place	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Census Total Housing Units	Census Occupied Housing Units	Census Vacant Housing Units	Population Density Per Sq. Mi.	Land Area Sq. Mi.	Water Area Sq. Mi.
YUKON-KOYUKUK C.A.	4,899	2,748	2,151	3,192	2,280	912	0.05	157,121.3	1,874.7
Koyukuk-Middle Yukon C.S.A. 14/	3,066	1,806	1,260	2,059	1,622	437	0.07	82,066.0	1,031.9
Allakaket city	76	60	16	55	46	9	38.75	4.4	0.7
Alatna *	14	13	1	10	8	2	13.18	2.4	0.3
Allakaket *	61	46	15	45	38	7	64.37	2.1	0.3
Anderson city	179	135	44	142	118	24	13.29	47.2	0.4
Cantwell CDP *	85	62	23	38	29	9	3.36	43.7	0.1
Evansville *	44	32	12	35	31	4	1.49	46.2	0.6
Bettles city	27	19	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	23.37	1.5	0.0
Evansville CDP	17	13	4	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.74	44.6	0.6
Ferry CDP	33	23	10	-	-	-	0.64	86.9	0.0
Galena city	286	190	96	183	145	38	50.47	16.5	6.4
Galena * 15/	286	190	96	96	80	16	0.00	16.5	6.4
Healy CDP	220	161	59	128	102	26	10.88	44.7	0.2
Hughes city *	29	22	7	27	22	5	22.01	2.5	0.0
Huslia city *	85	62	23	66	59	7	13.38	15.5	0.6
Kaltag city *	74	63	11	67	58	9	10.98	21.9	5.0
Koyukuk city *	50	40	10	32	26	6	21.05	6.0	0.2
Lake Minchumina CDP *	34	12	22	34	9	25	0.44	73.1	22.4
Lignite CDP	44	37	7	-	-	-	1.70	58.2	0.0
Manley Hot Springs CDP *	115	46	69	56	28	28	1.33	72.2	0.4
McKinley Park CDP	145	87	58	38	38	0	2.92	58.5	3.3
Minto CDP *	95	66	29	58	50	8	1.34	162.9	3.9
Nenana city *	190	140	50	198	163	35	71.60	5.5	0.0
Nulato city *	117	90	27	86	71	15	7.72	46.5	6.5
Rampart CDP *	42	24	18	24	14	10	0.29	233.3	6.4
Ruby city *	92	61	31	92	63	29	23.05	7.4	0.0
Stevens Village CDP	53	37	16	34	30	4	11.67	8.7	2.9
Stevens Village *	53	37	16	34	30	4	11.67	8.7	2.5
Tanana city *	169	123	46	146	118	28	20.46	16.9	4.6
Wiseman *	37	11	26	18	5	13	0.41	81.1	0.0
Balance of Koyukuk-Middle Yukon C.S.A.	772	222	550	502	397	105	0.01	80,906.2	965.3
McGrath-Holy Cross C.S.A.	838	459	379	519	391	128	0.04	33,449.5	382.8
Anvik city *	47	32	15	39	36	3	7.35	11.2	2.6
Grayling city *	62	51	11	62	52	10	19.51	10.7	0.0
Holy Cross city *	93	86	7	72	63	9	8.85	31.3	6.1
McGrath city *	207	175	32	163	129	34	14.05	37.6	4.6
Medfra *	8	0	8	13	6	7	0.00	20.1	0.7
Nikolai city *	43	40	3	28	22	6	22.07	4.9	0.0
Shageluk city *	49	42	7	48	35	13	14.52	9.6	1.2
Takotna CDP *	40	15	25	21	17	4	2.61	14.5	0.0
Telida *	7	3	4	9	8	1	0.18	60.2	1.1
Balance of McGrath-Holy Cross C.S.A.	282	15	267	64	23	41	0.00	33,269.6	367.0
Yukon Flats Census Subarea	995	483	512	614	372	242	0.03	41,605.7	460.0
Arctic Village CDP *	50	36	14	41	35	6	1.43	67.1	5.1
Beaver CDP *	52	43	9	53	23	30	5.36	19.2	4.3
Birch Creek CDP *	21	15	6	14	13	1	4.18	10.1	0.3
Canyon Village *	5	0	5	7	0	7	0.00	42.3	2.0
Central CDP	78	27	51	32	19	13	0.96	54.4	0.0
Chalkyitsik CDP *	52	33	19	49	29	20	44.30	2.0	0.4
Circle CDP *	31	23	8	37	18	19	16.01	4.6	1.1
Circle Hot Springs Station CDP	97	14	83	-	-	0	0.54	53.3	1.0
Fort Yukon city	272	205	67	245	187	58	85.55	6.8	0.4
Fort Yukon * 16/	272	205	67	245	187	58	0.00	6.8	0.4
Venetie CDP *	64	50	14	45	36	9	13.75	13.2	1.2
Balance of Yukon Flats C.S.A.	273	37	236	91	12	79	0.00	41,332.8	444.2

Table 4.4

POPULATION COUNTS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN BY BOROUGH, CENSUS AREA AND PLACE, 1990

			Race					Ethnicity
Place	Total Population	Total Population 18+	White	American Indian, Eskimo, & Aleut	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Other and Unknown Races	Hispanic Origin
YUKON-KOYUKUK CENSUS AREA	8,478	5,525	3,584	4,726	88	51	29	82
Koyukuk-Middle Yukon Census Subarea 14/	5,692	3,824	2,936	2,616	85	35	19	60
Allakaket city	170	107	10	160	0	0	0	0
Alatna *	31	18	2	29	0	0	0	0
Allakaket *	138	88	7	131	0	0	0	0
Anderson city	628	476	581	23	20	0	4	24
Cantwell CDP *	147	114	113	33	1	0	0	1
Evansville *	69	50	41	27	0	1	0	0
Bettles city	36	27	27	8	0	1	0	0
Evansville CDP	33	23	14	19	0	0	0	0
Ferry CDP	56	41	47	7	1	0	1	3
Galena city	833	634	395	377	48	7	6	13
Galena * 15/	833	634	395	377	48	7	6	13
Healy CDP	487	304	474	7	0	6	0	0
Hughes city *	54	36	4	50	0	0	0	0
Huslia city *	207	119	19	188	0	0	0	0
Kaltag city *	240	128	18	222	0	0	0	0
Koyukuk city *	126	78	3	123	0	0	0	0
Lake Minchumina CDP *	32	22	26	6	0	0	0	0
Lignite CDP	99	66	97	0	0	2	0	0
Manley Hot Springs CDP *	96	77	79	14	0	2	1	1
McKinley Park CDP	171	139	166	5	0	0	0	0
Minto CDP *	218	134	6	212	0	0	0	1
Nenana city *	393	250	197	188	5	3	0	6
Nulato city *	359	199	11	348	0	0	0	0
Rampart CDP *	68	42	3	64	0	0	1	1
Ruby city *	170	102	42	126	0	2	0	0
Stevens Village CDP	102	59	1	93	0	2	6	6
Stevens Village *	102	59	1	93	0	2	6	6
Tanana city *	345	220	75	270	0	0	0	0
Wiseman *	33	19	28	5	0	0	0	0
Balance of Koyukuk-Middle Yukon C.S.A.	589	408	500	68	10	11	0	4
McGrath-Holy Cross Census Subarea	1,448	848	388	1,038	3	15	4	10
Anvik city *	82	49	7	75	0	0	0	0
Grayling city *	208	108	7	194	0	5	2	2
Holy Cross city *	277	161	14	259	2	1	1	1
McGrath city *	528	308	271	248	1	7	1	5
Medfra *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nikolai city *	109	74	11	97	0	1	0	1
Shageluk city *	139	83	7	132	0	0	0	1
Takotna CDP *	38	24	20	17	0	1	0	0
Telida *	11	5	1	10	0	0	0	0
Balance of McGrath-Holy Cross C.S.A.	56	36	50	6	0	0	0	0
Yukon Flats Census Subarea	1,338	853	260	1,072	0	0	5	12
Arctic Village CDP *	96	55	5	90	0	0	1	2
Beaver CDP *	103	69	5	98	0	0	0	0
Birch Creek CDP *	42	24	4	38	0	0	0	0
Canyon Village *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Central CDP	52	45	49	1	0	0	2	2
Chalkyitsik CDP *	90	54	7	83	0	0	0	0
Circle CDP *	73	46	9	63	0	0	1	4
Circle Hot Springs Station CDP	29	22	29	0	0	0	0	0
Fort Yukon city	580	369	85	493	0	0	2	2
Fort Yukon * 16/	580	369	85	493	0	0	2	2
Venetie CDP *	182	109	11	171	0	0	0	0
Balance of Yukon Flats C.S.A.	91	60	56	35	0	0	0	2

Table 4.5

ALPHABETICAL LISTING AND RANK ORDER FOR ALASKA PLACES, 1990, 1980

Place	Census Area	April 1, 1990 Census Population	City Rank 1990	Place Rank 1990	April 1, 1980 Census Population	Place Rank 1980
Adak Station CDP	Aleutians West Census Area	4,633		11	3,315	11
Akhiok city *	Kodiak Island Borough	77	141	253	105	191
Akiachak city * (Dissolved I/90)	Bethel Census Area	481		83	438	67
Akiak city *	Bethel Census Area	285	89	132	198	132
Akutan city *	Aleutians East Borough	589	45	66	169	147
Alakanuk city *	Wade Hampton Census Area	544	49	72	522	51
Alcan CDP	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	27		316	-	
Aleknagik city *	Dillingham Census Area	185	114	171	154	156
Alexander *	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	40		296	-	
Allakaket city (Alatna */Allakaket *)	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	170	121	183	163	152
Ambler city *	Northwest Arctic Borough	311	86	124	192	137
Amchitka CDP	Aleutians West Census Area	25		321	-	
Anaktuvuk Pass city *	North Slope Borough	259	94	143	203	129
Anchor Point CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	866		42	226	120
Anchorage city (Incl. Eklutna *)	Anchorage Borough	226,338	1	1	174,431	1
Anderson city	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	628	41	60	517	52
Angoon city *	Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	638	40	59	465	61
Aniak city *	Bethel Census Area	540	50	73	341	64
Annette CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	43		292	139	161
Anvik city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	82	140	248	114	181
Arctic Village CDP *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	96		235	111	184
Atka city *	Aleutians West Census Area	73	143	256	93	201
Atmautluak city * (Inactive)	Bethel Census Area	258	95	144	219	121
Atqasuk city (Atkasook *)	North Slope Borough	216	107	161	107	187
Barrow city *	North Slope Borough	3,469	14	18	2,267	16
Beaver CDP *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	103		230	66	229
Belkofski *	Aleutians East Borough	0			10	278
Bethel city *	Bethel Census Area	4,674	8	10	3,576	10
Bettles city (Evansville * pt.)	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	36	150	303	49	246
Big Delta CDP	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	400		98	285	102
Big Lake CDP	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	1,477		32	410	69
Bill Moore's *	Wade Hampton Census Area	0			-	
Birch Creek CDP *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	42		295	32	266
Brevig Mission city *	Nome Census Area	198	112	166	138	166
Buckland city *	Northwest Arctic Borough	318	81	120	177	143
Butte CDP	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	2,039		28	988	31
Cantwell CDP *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	147		201	89	207
Canyon Village *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	0			-	
Central CDP	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	52		285	36	260
Chalkyitsik CDP *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	90		242	100	195
Chase CDP	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	38		300	-	
Chefornak city *	Bethel Census Area	320	80	118	230	118
Chenega CDP *	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	94		240	-	
Chevak city *	Wade Hampton Census Area	598	43	64	466	60
Chickaloon CDP	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	145		202	-	
Chignik city *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	188	113	168	178	142
Chignik Lagoon CDP *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	53		283	48	250
Chignik Lake CDP *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	133		209	138	165
Chiniak CDP	Kodiak Island Borough	69		261	-	
Chistochina CDP *	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	60		274	55	238
Chitina CDP *	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	49		287	42	256
Chuathbaluk city *	Bethel Census Area	97	138	234	105	190
Chuloonawick *	Wade Hampton Census Area	0			-	

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Place	Census Area	April 1, 1990 Census Population	City Rank 1990	Place Rank 1990	April 1, 1980 Census Population	Place Rank 1980
Circle CDP *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	73		257	81	214
Circle Hot Springs Station CDP	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	29		313	-	
Clam Gulch CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	79		251	50	241
Clark's Point city *	Dillingham Census Area	60	147	273	79	216
Coffman Cove CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	186		170	193	135
Cohoe CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	508		79	-	
Cold Bay city	Aleutians East Borough	148	128	198	192	136
College CDP	Fairbanks North Star Borough	11,249		4	4,043	9
Cooper Landing CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	243		151	116	180
Copper Center CDP *	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	449		92	213	124
Copperville CDP	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	163		187	-	
Cordova city	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	2,110	21	27	1,879	21
Council *	Nome Census Area	8		324	19	275
Covenant Life CDP	Haines Borough	47		290	-	
Craig city *	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	1,260	24	37	527	50
Crooked Creek CDP *	Bethel Census Area	106		225	108	186
Crown Point CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	62		270	-	
Cube Cove CDP	Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	156		193	-	
Deadhorse CDP	North Slope Borough	26		317	64	230
Deering city *	Northwest Arctic Borough	157	126	192	150	158
Delta Junction city	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	652	37	56	945	32
Dillingham city *	Dillingham Census Area	2,017	22	31	1,563	24
Diomede city (Inalik *)	Nome Census Area	178	116	177	139	162
Dora Bay CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	57		277	-	
Dot Lake CDP *	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	70		259	67	227
Dry Creek CDP	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	106		227	-	
Eagle city	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	168	123	184	110	185
Eagle Village CDP (Eagle *)	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	35		304	54	240
Edna Bay CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	86		245	6	283
Eek city *	Bethel Census Area	254	96	146	228	119
Egegik CDP *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	122		215	75	220
Eielson AFB CDP	Fairbanks North Star Borough	5,251		9	5,232	6
Ekuk *	Dillingham Census Area	3		328	7	281
Ekwok city *	Dillingham Census Area	77	142	254	77	218
Elfin Cove CDP	Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	57		276	28	270
Elim city *	Nome Census Area	264	93	142	211	126
Emmonak city *	Wade Hampton Census Area	642	38	57	567	45
English Bay CDP *	Kenai Peninsula Borough	158		191	124	175
Ester CDP	Fairbanks North Star Borough	147		200	149	159
Evansville CDP (Evansville * pt.)	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	33		307	45	255
Eyak CDP *	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	172		180	47	254
Fairbanks city	Fairbanks North Star Borough	30,843	2	2	22,645	2
False Pass CDP * (Incorp. 10/90)	Aleutians East Borough	68	145	263	70	224
Ferry CDP	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	56		278	-	
Fort Greely CDP	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	1,299		36	1,635	23
Fort Yukon city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	580	46	67	619	41
Fox CDP	Fairbanks North Star Borough	275		138	123	176
Fox River CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	382		105	-	
Freshwater Bay CDP	Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	68		265	-	
Fritz Creek CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	1,426		34	404	71
Gakona CDP *	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	25		319	87	210
Galena city	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	833	28	45	765	35
Gambell city *	Nome Census Area	525	54	77	445	66

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Place	Census Area	April 1, 1990 Census Population	City Rank 1990	Place Rank 1990	April 1, 1980 Census Population	Place Rank 1980
Game Creek CDP	Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	61		272	-	
Georgetown *	Bethel Census Area	0			6	282
Glennallen CDP	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	451		90	511	53
Golovin city *	Nome Census Area	127	132	212	87	211
Goodnews Bay city *	Bethel Census Area	241	99	152	168	149
Grayling city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	208	109	163	209	127
Grouse Creek Group *	Kenai Peninsula Borough	580		68	-	
Gulkana CDP *	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	103		229	104	192
Gustavus CDP	Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	258		145	98	197
Haines city (includes Chilkoot *)	Haines Borough	1,238	25	38	993	30
Halibut Cove CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	78		252	47	253
Hamilton *	Wade Hampton Census Area	0			-	
Happy Valley CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	309		125	-	
Harding Lake CDP	Fairbanks North Star Borough	27		315	38	259
Healy CDP	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	487		82	334	87
Healy Lake CDP *	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	47		289	33	264
Hobart Bay CDP	Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	187		169	-	
Hollis CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	111		220	-	
Holy Cross city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	277	91	137	241	112
Homer city	Kenai Peninsula Borough	3,660	11	15	2,209	17
Hoonah city *	Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	795	29	46	680	37
Hooper Bay city *	Wade Hampton Census Area	845	27	43	627	38
Hope CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	161		189	103	194
Houston city	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	697	34	51	370	77
Hughes city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	54	149	280	73	221
Huslia city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	207	111	164	188	138
Hydaburg city *	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	384	70	103	298	99
Hyder CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	99		232	77	217
Igiugig CDP *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	33		308	33	262
Iliamna CDP *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	94		239	94	200
Ivanof Bay CDP *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	35		306	40	257
Jakolof Bay CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	28		314	36	261
Juneau city	Juneau Borough	26,751	3	3	19,528	3
Kachemak city	Kenai Peninsula Borough	365	73	109	301	96
Kake city *	Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area	700	33	50	555	46
Kaktovik city *	North Slope Borough	224	103	156	165	150
Kalifonsky CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	285		134	92	202
Kaltag city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	240	100	153	247	109
Karluk CDP *	Kodiak Island Borough	71		258	96	198
Kasaan city *	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	54	148	281	25	271
Kasigluk city * (inactive)	Bethel Census Area	425	63	94	342	83
Kasilof CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	383		104	201	131
Kenai city	Kenai Peninsula Borough	6,327	7	8	4,324	8
Kenny Lake CDP	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	267		141	-	
Ketchikan city	Ketchikan Gateway Borough	8,263	5	6	7,198	5
Kiana city *	Northwest Arctic Borough	385	69	101	345	82
King Cove city *	Aleutians East Borough	451	61	91	460	63
King Salmon CDP *	Bristol Bay Borough	696		52	545	48
Kipnuk CDP *	Bethel Census Area	470		84	371	76
Kivalina city *	Northwest Arctic Borough	317	83	121	241	113
Klawock city *	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	722	31	48	318	95
Klukwan CDP (Chilkat *)	Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	129		211	135	168
Knik CDP *	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	272		140	10	279

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Kobuk city *	Northwest Arctic Borough	69	144	260	52	231
Kodiak city	Kodiak Island Borough	6,365	6	7	4,756	7
Kodiak Station CDP	Kodiak Island Borough	2,025		29	1,370	26
Kokhanok CDP (Kokahonak *)	Lake and Peninsula Borough	152		196	83	213
Koliganek CDP *	Dillingham Census Area	181		173	117	179
Kongiganak CDP *	Bethel Census Area	294		130	239	116
Kotlik city *	Wade Hampton Census Area	461	59	86	293	101
Kotzebue city *	Northwest Arctic Borough	2,751	18	22	2,054	20
Koyuk city *	Nome Census Area	231	101	154	188	139
Koyukuk city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	126	133	213	98	196
Kupreanof city	Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area	23	151	322	47	252
Kwethluk city *	Bethel Census Area	558	48	71	454	64
Kwigillingok CDP *	Bethel Census Area	278		136	354	80
Labouchere Bay CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	149		197	-	
Lake Minchumina CDP *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	32		310	22	273
Larsen Bay city	Kodiak Island Borough	147	129	199	168	148
Lazy Mountain CDP	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	838		44	-	
Levelock CDP *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	105		228	79	215
Lignite CDP	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	99		233	-	
Lime Village CDP *	Bethel Census Area	42		293	48	249
Long Island CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	198		167	-	
Lower Kalskag city *	Bethel Census Area	291	88	131	246	110
Lutak CDP	Haines Borough	45		291	-	
Manley Hot Springs CDP *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	96		236	61	233
Manokotak city *	Dillingham Census Area	385	68	102	294	100
Marshall city *	Wade Hampton Census Area	273	92	139	262	107
Mary's Igloo *	Nome Census Area	0			-	
McCarthy CDP	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	25		320	23	272
McGrath city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	528	53	76	355	79
McKinley Park CDP	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	171		181	60	234
Meadow Lakes CDP	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	2,374		26	-	
Medfra *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	0			15	276
Mekoryuk city *	Bethel Census Area	177	119	178	160	154
Mendaltna CDP	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	37		302	31	267
Mentasta Lake CDP *	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	96		237	59	235
Metlakatla CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	1,407		35	1,056	29
Meyers Chuck CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	37		301	50	242
Minto CDP *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	218		160	153	157
Moose Creek CDP	Fairbanks North Star Borough	610		63	510	54
Moose Pass CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	81		249	76	219
Mosquito Lake CDP	Haines Borough	80		250	-	
Mountain Village city *	Wade Hampton Census Area	674	36	54	583	44
Naknek CDP *	Bristol Bay Borough	575		69	318	94
Napaimute *	Bethel Census Area	3		329	4	284
Napakiak city *	Bethel Census Area	318	82	119	262	106
Napaskiak city *	Bethel Census Area	328	79	117	244	111
Naukati Bay CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	93		241	-	
Nelson Lagoon CDP *	Aleutians East Borough	83		247	59	236
Nenana city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	393	66	99	470	58
New Stuyahok city *	Dillingham Census Area	391	67	100	331	90
Newhalen city *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	160	125	190	87	209
Newtok city (pt.) * (Inactive)	Bethel Census Area	207	110	165	131	171
Nightmute city * (Inactive)	Bethel Census Area	153	127	195	119	177

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Nikiski CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	2,743		23	1,109	28
Nikolai city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	109	137	222	91	204
Nikolaevsk CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	371		107	-	
Nikolski CDP *	Aleutians West Census Area	35		306	50	243
Ninilchik CDP *	Kenai Peninsula Borough	456		88	341	85
Noatak CDP *	Northwest Arctic Borough	333		116	273	103
Nome city	Nome Census Area	3,500	12	16	2,544	14
Nondalton city *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	178	117	175	173	145
Noorvik city *	Northwest Arctic Borough	531	52	75	492	55
North Pole city	Fairbanks North Star Borough	1,456	23	33	724	36
Northway CDP	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	123		214	73	222
Northway Junction CDP	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	88		243	-	
Northway Village CDP (Northway *)	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	113		219	112	182
Nuiqsut city *	North Slope Borough	354	76	113	208	128
Nulato city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	359	74	110	350	81
Nunapitchuk city *	Bethel Census Area	378	71	106	299	97
Ohogamiut *	Wade Hampton Census Area	0			-	
Old Harbor city *	Kodiak Island Borough	284	90	135	340	86
Oscarville CDP *	Bethel Census Area	57		275	56	237
Ouzinkie city	Kodiak Island Borough	209	108	162	173	144
Paimute *	Wade Hampton Census Area	0			1	286
Palmer city	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	2,866	17	21	2,141	19
Paxson CDP	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	30		311	30	268
Pedro Bay CDP *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	42		294	33	263
Pelican city *	Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	222	105	159	180	141
Perryville CDP *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	108		223	111	183
Petersburg city	Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area	3,207	15	19	2,821	13
Pilot Point CDP *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	53		282	66	228
Pilot Station city *	Wade Hampton Census Area	463	58	85	325	92
Pitkas Point CDP *	Wade Hampton Census Area	135		207	88	208
Platinum city *	Bethel Census Area	64	146	267	55	239
Pleasant Valley CDP	Fairbanks North Star Borough	401		96	-	
Point Baker CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	39		297	90	206
Point Hope city *	North Slope Borough	639	39	58	464	62
Point Lay CDP *	North Slope Borough	139		204	68	226
Polk Inlet CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	135		208	-	
Port Alexander city	Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area	119	134	217	86	212
Port Alice CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	30		312	-	
Port Alsworth CDP	Lake and Peninsula Borough	55		279	22	274
Port Clarence CDP	Nome Census Area	26		318	29	269
Port Graham CDP *	Kenai Peninsula Borough	166		185	161	153
Port Heiden city *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	119	135	216	92	203
Port Lions city *	Kodiak Island Borough	222	106	158	215	123
Port Protection CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	62		271	-	
Portage Creek *	Dillingham Census Area	5		327	48	251
Primrose CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	63		269	-	
Prudhoe Bay CDP	North Slope Borough	47		288	50	244
Quinhagak city *	Bethel Census Area	501	56	80	412	68
Rampart CDP *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	68		264	50	245
Red Devil CDP *	Bethel Census Area	53		284	39	258
Ridgeway CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	2,018		30	-	
Rowan Bay CDP	Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area	133		210	-	
Ruby city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	170	122	182	197	134

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Russian Mission city *	Wade Hampton Census Area	246	97	149	169	146
Salamatof CDP *	Kenai Peninsula Borough	999		39	334	88
Salcha CDP	Fairbanks North Star Borough	354		112	319	93
Sand Point city *	Aleutians East Borough	878	26	41	625	39
Savoonga city *	Nome Census Area	519	55	78	491	56
Saxman city *	Ketchikan Gateway Borough	369	72	108	273	104
Scammon Bay city *	Wade Hampton Census Area	343	78	115	250	108
Selawik city *	Northwest Arctic Borough	596	44	65	535	49
Seldovia city *	Kenai Peninsula Borough	316	84	122	479	57
Seward city	Kenai Peninsula Borough	2,699	19	24	1,843	22
Shageluk city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	139	130	203	131	172
Shaktoolik city *	Nome Census Area	178	118	176	164	151
Sheldon Point city *	Wade Hampton Census Area	109	136	221	103	193
Shemya Station CDP	Aleutians West Census Area	664		55	600	42
Shishmaref city *	Nome Census Area	456	60	87	394	72
Shungnak city *	Northwest Arctic Borough	223	104	157	202	130
Sitka city	Sitka Borough	8,588	4	5	7,803	4
Skagway city	Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	692	35	53	814	34
Skwentna CDP	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	85		246	-	
Slana CDP *	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	63		268	49	247
Sleetmute CDP *	Bethel Census Area	106		226	107	188
Soldotna city	Kenai Peninsula Borough	3,482	13	17	2,320	15
Solomon *	Nome Census Area	6		326	4	285
South Naknek CDP *	Bristol Bay Borough	136		206	145	160
Stebbins city *	Nome Census Area	400	65	97	331	91
Sterling CDP	Kenai Peninsula Borough	3,802		14	919	33
Stevens Village CDP *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	102		231	96	199
Stony River CDP *	Bethel Census Area	51		286	62	232
St. George city *	Aleutians West Census Area	138	131	205	158	155
St. John's Harbor CDP	Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area	69		262	-	
St. Mary's city (Andreafsky */ St.Mary's *)	Wade Hampton Census Area	441	62	93	382	74
St. Michael city *	Nome Census Area	295	87	129	239	115
St. Paul city *	Aleutians West Census Area	763	30	47	551	47
Sutton CDP	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	308		126	182	140
Takotna CDP *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	38		299	48	248
Talkeetna CDP	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	250		147	264	105
Tanacross CDP *	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	106		224	117	178
Tanana city *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	345	77	114	388	73
Tatitlek CDP *	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	119		218	68	225
Tazlina *	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	247		148	-	
Telida *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	11		323	33	265
Teller city *	Nome Census Area	230	102	155	212	125
Tenakee Springs City *	Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	94	139	238	138	164
Tetlin CDP *	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	87		244	107	189
Thorne Bay city	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	569	47	70	377	75
Togiak city *	Dillingham Census Area	613	42	62	470	59
Tok CDP *	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	935		40	589	43
Toksook Bay city *	Bethel Census Area	420	64	95	333	89
Tonsina CDP	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	38		298	135	167
Trapper Creek CDP	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	296		128	-	
Tuluksak city *	Bethel Census Area	358	75	111	236	117
Tuntutuliak CDP *	Bethel Census Area	300		127	216	

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Table 4.5

ALPHABETICAL LISTING AND RANK ORDER FOR ALASKA PLACES, 1990, 1980

Place	Census Area	April 1, 1990 Census Population	City Rank 1990	Place Rank 1990	April 1, 1980 Census Population	Place Rank 1980
Tununak city * (Inactive)	Bethel Census Area	316	85	123	298	98
Twin Hills CDP *	Dillingham Census Area	66		266	70	223
Two Rivers CDP	Fairbanks North Star Borough	453		89	359	78
Tyonek CDP *	Kenai Peninsula Borough	154		194	239	114
Ugashik *	Lake and Peninsula Borough	7		325	13	277
Ukivok *	Nome Census Area	0			-	
Unalakleet city *	Nome Census Area	714	32	49	623	40
Unalaska city *	Aleutians West Census Area	3,089	16	20	1,322	27
Upper Kalskag city (Kalskag *)	Bethel Census Area	172	120	179	129	173
Valdez city	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	4,068	9	12	3,079	12
Venetie CDP *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	182		172	132	170
Wainwright city *	North Slope Borough	492	57	81	405	70
Wales city *	Nome Census Area	161	124	188	133	169
Wasilla city	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	4,028	10	13	1,559	25
Whale Pass CDP	Prince Of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	75		255	90	205
White Mountain city *	Nome Census Area	180	115	174	125	174
Whitestone Logging Camp CDP	Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	164		186	-	
Whittier city	Valdez-Cordova Census Area	243	98	150	198	133
Willow CDP	Matanuska-Susitna Borough	285		133	139	163
Wiseman *	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	33		309	8	280
Women's Bay CDP	Kodiak Island Borough	620		61	-	
Wrangell city	Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area	2,479	20	25	2,184	18
Yakutat city *	Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area	534	51	74	449	65

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GLOSSARY

Alaska Native Village Statistical Area - 1990 census statistical areas which delineate the settled area of each Alaska Native Village Statistical Area (ANVSA). In the 1980 census, these areas were referred to as Alaska Native Villages (ANV). The boundaries may differ between 1980 and 1990. Officials of Alaska Native Regional Corporations and other appropriate officials delineated the 217 ANVSAs for the sole purpose of presenting census data.

Alaska Permanent Fund - was created in 1976 by a voter-approved amendment to the state Constitution as a state savings account of oil revenues. A portion of the Fund's income is annually distributed to eligible Alaskan residents. The total equity balance of the Fund currently exceeds $11.5 billion.

Average Annual Rate of Change - a standardized statistical measure of the rate of change which can be compared for any number of years because it converts the change for any period to a yearly measure.

Census Designated Place (CDP) - a closely settled unincorporated population center of at least 25 persons.

Cohorts - a group of persons who experience the same event or series of events in a particular period. For example all persons born in a particular year or all couples married in a particular year are considered cohorts of that year.

De Facto and De Jure Counts - In a census the enumeration is affected by the type of population count to be obtained. The census may be designed to count persons where they are found on census day (a de facto count) or according to their usual place of residence (a de jure count). The U.S. Census is a de jure count. Only transients who have no usual place of residence are counted on a de facto basis.

Dependency Ratio - the proportion of the population dependent on the adult population. For youth dependent the under 18 population is divided by the age group between 18 and 65. For elderly dependent the population over 64 is divided by the age group between 18 and 65.

Error of Closure - The difference between an estimates series and a decennial census. Error of closure can be the product of small cumulative error in an estimates series over a decade or it may result from differential accuracy of two decennial censuses.

Fertility - the childbearing performance of individuals, couples, groups or populations. Sometimes measured as the number of live births per 100 people in a given year or as the number of children born to women of a particular child bearing age.

Gross Migration - the sum of the in-migration and out-migration for a geographic area over time. Gross migration is a measure of the total movement or turnover of population. Gross migration is of most interest to persons needing information on population turnover rather than overall gain or loss, such as the real estate and transportation industries.

Group Quarters - living quarters shared by ten or more unrelated persons.

Household - a housing unit occupied by a family or fewer than 10 unrelated individuals.

In-migrant - a person who enters an area from some point outside the area for the purpose of establishing a permanent residence. The person may come from another nation, state, or county.

Median Age - the age which divides a population into two numerically equal groups; that is, the mid-point, half the people are younger than this age and half are older.

Migration - the movement of people across a specified boundary to establish a new permanent residence. Movement between countries, states or counties is considered migration. Movement within a county is considered "local movement".

Mortality - death as a component of population change. Usually measured as the number of deaths per 1,000 people in a given year.

Natural Increase - the difference between the number of births and the number of deaths in a given period, usually a year.

Net-migration - the difference between in-migration and out-migration. It is called net in-migration if there are more persons moving into the area than out. It is called net out-migration if there are more persons leaving the area than coming in.

Out-migrant - a person who leaves an area for some point outside the area for the purpose of establishing a permanent residence. The person may go to another nation, state, or country.

Place - a Census Designated Place (CDP), incorporated city, borough or Alaska Native Village Statistical Area (ANVSA).

Population Estimate - a computation of the probable population of a geographic area for a particular time. An estimate is usually done for a past time period for which indicator data already exists.

Population Projection - a computed future population number based on methodology which trends known historical data.

Resident - a person who lives in Alaska at least six months of the year and/or has no other usual place of residence elsewhere.

Sex Ratio - the number of males per 100 females.

Urban Place - a place with population of 2,500 or more. Places with less than 2,500 persons are considered rural.

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